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RIGA'S DEFENDERS STRUGGLE BRAVELY TO RETAIN GROUND

During Five Days Repel Incessant and Stubborn Assaults by German Forces Endeavoring to Take Main Part of City—Assailants Work Destruction by Bombardment

DESPATCH REPORTS SUBURBS REGAINED

Statements as to Situation Are Conflicting and London Feels Uncertainty—Allied War Vessels Taking Part in Defence—Russian Commander Invites Conference

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 13.—Allied cruisers are aiding in the defence of Riga against German attacks, which for five days have been incessant and stubborn, according to a communication issued by the Lettish Foreign Office on Sunday. Riga is being bombarded by the enemy.

The communication follows:

"For five days the Lettish forces before Riga have been engaged in beating off incessant stubborn German attacks.

"The Germans are bombarding the unfortified town of Riga. Cruisers belonging to the Allied powers are participating in the defence.

"The Germans have been repeatedly repulsed in attempts to ford the Duna River."

The Letts have recrossed the Duna River in the direction of Mitau and occupied the suburbs of Riga on the left bank of the river, according to a telegram to the Lettish press bureau from Wenden, Livonia, fifty miles northeast of Riga.

The situation of the Lettish troops in Riga is desperate, according to dispatches from Helsingfors. The German and Russian troops are expected to force the passage of the Duna River, which separates the main body of Col. Avaloff-Bermondt's troops from the main portion of Riga, at any moment. The old town of Riga and the port have been greatly damaged, it is stated. Many civilians have been killed or wounded.

HELSINGFORS, Oct. 13.—Riga suffered considerable damage from the bombardment of the German-Russian troops, especially in the district near the railroad. The enemy's attempts to cross the bridge were repelled, according to reports from Reval.

Many civilians were killed or wounded by bombs dropped on the town.

Position Obscure

Lettish troops still hold the eastern part of Riga, on the right bank of the Duna, but there is no news later than Saturday, and the position is obscure. Colonel Avaloff-Bermondt's troops have occupied Thorenberg, the western part of the city, and are bombarding positions east of the river. Nothing further has been learned here regarding the reinforcements which it was said were landed from the British ships, or whether Esthonian troops are coming to the aid of the Letts. A dispatch to The Manchester Guardian from Berlin reports that the Russo-German intrigue is of very long standing, an Eastern adventure having been in the minds of military reactionaries in Berlin since the beginning of the year. It will be remembered, the dispatch states, that the far-reaching policy of such a measure almost tempted independent action on the part of the German armies in the east at the critical moment of the ratification of the peace treaty in the national assembly at Weimar.

For months, the correspondent states, intense recruiting for the army in the Baltic has been going on in Germany, not only for the so-called "Iron Division" and other German detachments, but also for nominally Russian forces. Russian officers, often Russian only in uniform, are a familiar sight in Berlin and elsewhere throughout the country. Recruits, largely from south Germany, are continually passing through by railway. Many of these wear Russian uniforms, but most of them are in the German field gray, with Russian shoulder straps and cockades.

Russian Commander's Report

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 13.—Claiming to have checked the attack of Lettish troops on the left flank of his forces, Col. Avaloff-Bermondt, commander of the forces of the "Russian General Government," has since taking Riga invited the Letts and Esthonians to confer with him at Mitau. The purpose of this conference is "to prevent further bloodshed and to bring about action against the Bolsheviki."

There has been no indication of an advance east of Riga by the German-Russian forces. The landing of 50,000 Lettish troops at Libau was a new development in operations along the Baltic, but with the exception of the reference made to it by Colonel Avaloff-Bermondt, nothing is known as to the success of the movement.

In the meantime the town of Yamburg, about 75 miles southwest of Petrograd, has been taken by the Russian northwestern army.

Esthonian Movements

PARIS, Oct. 13.—Important troop movements are occurring in the direction of Riga, according to a telegram received here from Basel. Esthonian troops have left Segewold for Riga, 30 miles distant, and Lettish reinforcements and other Esthonian detachments are en route to Libau on board a transport for the purpose of joining the Lettish forces.

American Ship Diverted

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The steamer Lake Fray, belonging to the United States Shipping Board, and carrying relief supplies to Riga, has been ordered not to proceed further until the situation at Riga clears. The steamer has put into Hango, Finland.

Von Der Goltz Withdraws

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—Gen. von der Goltz finally transferred his command in the Baltic region to Gen. von Eberhardt on Sunday, and is expected to arrive in Berlin very soon, according to a semi-official statement issued here today.

The statement announces that the German government on Sunday deliberated on the latest note of the Entente with regard to the Baltic situation, and adds that a complete stoppage of provisions to the insubordinate troops in the Baltic lands, except those returning, was ordered Saturday, and that all passenger traffic to the Baltic will immediately be stopped, and that only empty trains will be permitted to go to fetch the troops.

The statement says that Gen. von der Goltz, in accordance with instructions, communicated to the troops the Government's last withdrawal order, and emphatically urged compliance with it.

BOLSHEVIKI FIND SITUATION GRAVE

OMSK, Oct. 13. — A Bolsheviki wireless dispatch picked up by the intelligence office of the Siberian army declares that the situation in Bolsheviki Russia never has been so grave as it is at present; that never before has the front been so near Moscow.

The dispatch adds that anti-Bolsheviki armies are moving toward the heart of Bolsheviki Russia from all directions. It says the Bolsheviki organizations are disintegrating, and that even in Petrograd there are at present only 9,000 members of the Bolsheviki party.

AUSTRALIA HAS IMMENSE DEBT

War Outlay Has Placed Heavy Burden on People of Commonwealth, But Revenue Is Held at High Mark.

MELBOURNE, Oct. 13.—(Reuter's)—In the Federal House of Representatives Hon. Mr. Poynter minister without portfolio, in introducing the budget, said that the total revenue of 1918-19 was £44,075,000. The expenditure was over £45,000,000, of which £21,025,000 was due to the war. The total war expenditure was nearly £311,500,000, of which £46,000,000 was paid out of revenue. The estimated deficit was £3,250,000 for 1919-20. The public debt of the Commonwealth and the states amounted to nearly £708,000,000.

Mr. Poynter announced that there would be no taxation, but old age and invalid pensions would be increased from 12s 6d to 15s weekly.

The Government's shipping programme provides for 20 steamers of 6,000 tons, of which three have been launched, and four vessels of 3,000 tons, all of which are being built.

The Australian Government, he said, has contracted to have five steamers of 12,000 tons constructed in England. The net earnings of the Commonwealth line amounted to £3,500,000.

British Socialist Decision

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The British Socialist party has decided by an overwhelming majority to join the third communist international established at Moscow and to sever connections with the old International Socialist bureau.

Lord Jellicoe at Fiji Islands

SUVA, Fiji, Oct. 18.—(Reuter's)—Admiral Lord Jellicoe, on his arrival here, was met by a fleet of sailing canoes and welcomed by the native chiefs. In a speech he suggested that Suva would probably be the Pacific naval base.

OPEN CAMPAIGN TO AID LEAGUE

Meeting at Mansion House, London, Attended by Many Distinguished Statesmen of Great Britain.

KING'S MESSAGE MAKES STRONG PLEA

Premier, in Letter, Urges Support of League's Ideals—Speeches Delivered by Some Prominent Leaders.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—A nation-wide campaign in favor of the League of Nations opened under the presidency of Sir Horace Marshall, Lord Mayor of London, at the Mansion House. For the occasion the League of Nations' Union called together many of the leading British statesmen, including Herbert Asquith, Lord Robert Cecil, John R. Clynes, Earl Curzon, Bonar Law and Donald MacLean, Liberal leader in Parliament.

In addition, all the foreign ambassadors, the diplomatic men and men prominent in various walks of life — churchmen, laborites, industrialists, scientists and lawyers—were present. Premier Venizelos of Greece, Mr. Asquith, John R. Clynes and Lord Robert Cecil were among the prominent speakers. Premier David Lloyd George sent a message to the meeting saying:

"Civilization cannot longer afford to squander its time and treasure on the destruction of its own handiwork. The Allied Governments are pledged to the League's noble ideals. I appeal to my fellow countrymen to support international order and good will."

King George sent the following letter to Lord Robert Cecil:

"We have won the war. That is a great achievement; but it is not enough. We fought to gain a lasting peace, and it is our supreme duty to take every measure to secure it.

"For that nothing is more essential than a strong and enduring League of Nations. Every day makes this clearer. The covenant of Paris is a good foundation. The nature and strength of the structure to build upon this must depend on the earnestness and sincerity of popular support.

"Millions of British men and women, conscious of the ruin and suffering caused by the brutal havoc of war, stand ready to help, if only they are shown the way. In the knowledge of what has already been done and appreciation of the difficulties which lie before us, I commend this cause to all citizens of the Empire, so that, with the help of all other men of good will, a buttress and sure defence of peace to the glory of God and the lasting fame of our age and our community may be established."

The reading of the King's letter was greeted with cheers.

Mr. Asquith declared that the military and naval armaments of nations were being continued out of all proportion to the actual requirements for the preservation of order, and said he hoped the members of the League would fulfill their pledges under the covenant, purely as a duty.

Mr. Clynes said Labor must be more than a critic in the League's task, and that it must co-operate with it.

PREDICTS CHANGE IN NAVY PLANS

LONDON, Oct. 13. — The political correspondent of The Evening News says there probably will be a great change in Great Britain's naval policy with the advent of Admiral Lord Beatty as First Sea Lord in succession to Vice-Admiral Sir Rosslyn Wemyss, who resigned last week.

"Admiral Beatty's friends," says the correspondent, "declare that he believed the future warship will be an oil-driven submersible battle cruiser and that the Admiralty's plans may be shaped in accordance with this belief. The dreadnaught will not be altogether eliminated, but it will be considered of secondary importance."

PAPERS COMMENT ON G. T. R. BARGAIN

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The financial editor of The London Times approves the terms of the Grand Trunk Railway settlement, and says it will be a relief to all concerned that an end has been made to these long negotiations.

Presumably, he adds, the sanction of the Canadian Parliament will be obtained.

The financial writer of The Daily News, after discussing the complexity of the issues, says that all that can be hoped for at present is that the award will be liberal enough for a plan for division which will give the ordinary stockholders a reasonable pittance without encroaching appreciably on the stipulated rates.

PLACING FRANCE ON PEACE BASIS

Decrees Are Published at Paris Giving Effect to Treaty Legislation—Exchange of Ratifications Soon.

PARIS, Oct. 13.—Decrees published in The Journal Officiel this morning place the interior affairs of France on a peace basis, ending the state of siege, lifting the censorship and transferring jurisdiction over police affairs from the army to Prefectures.

To end the state of war with Germany it is still necessary to deposit in the Foreign Office a text of the treaty signed by President Poincare, which will be filed with the ratification document signed by President Ebert of Germany, which already is in hand. To these will be added the ratification documents signed by the Kings of England and Italy.

The exchange of ratifications will occur at the Foreign Office without ceremony. The British and Italian ratifications have not as yet been received, but are expected at any moment.

GENERAL DENIKINE CONTINUES MARCH TOWARDS MOSCOW

Wins More Victories Over Soviet Forces in Direction of Orel, and Captures Important Town of Chernigoff — Bolsheviki Counter-Offensive Is Repulsed With Loss.

YUDENITCH'S FORCES ADVANCING IN NORTH TOWARDS PETROGRAD

LONDON, Oct. 13.—A wireless message from General Denikine today claims further victories against the Bolsheviki in the direction of Orel and also in the region of Kiev. General Denikine announces the capture of Ostrozhensky-Vashoipn, a town which cannot be located on the map, with 100 prisoners. The Bolsheviki made an attack on his army with large forces in the vicinity of Orel, but were unsuccessful.

General Denikine captured 3,500 prisoners and occupied Krovie (possibly Kromy), about 25 miles southwest of Orel.

General Denikine's forces also occupied the important provincial capital, Chernigoff, about 70 miles north of Kiev. The advance continues.

Recent reports received via Copenhagen placed General Denikine's forces within 30 miles of Orel, on the road to Moscow, and scarcely more than 200 miles from Moscow itself.

The Bolsheviki were then reported to be discouraged and surrendering in large numbers, but evidently gathered their forces for a counter-attack in hopes of saving that important railroad and commercial centre.

The capture of Chernigoff, in quite another field of operations, indicates that General Denikine is making headway against Bolsheviki and Ukrainian troops in the vicinity of Kiev, and is coming near to a junction with the Polish army.

The capture of Yamburg marks the beginning of the push by troops of the Russian northwestern army by General Yudenitch toward Petrograd, according to a dispatch to The Daily Mail filed Saturday at Libau. General Gozenapp is reported to have taken four complete Bolsheviki regiments, 2,000 other soviet troops and the entire staff of the tenth Bolsheviki division. His losses are reported to have been 27 killed and 150 wounded.

General Vladimiroff, who was mainly instrumental in organizing the offensive, is quoted by the dispatch as saying that the German-Russian offensive under Colonel Avaloff-Bermondt came too late to stop the advance of the Russian northwestern army.

EXPECT EVIDENCE OF REV. A. E. COOKE

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—The inquiry into the high cost of living, which has been proceeding for several days in the courthouse under the chairmanship of the commissioner, Lieut.-Col. H. D. Hulme, will be resumed Tuesday morning.

It is expected that the evidence of the Rev. A. E. Cooke, in support of the statements regarding the existence of a "combine" on Water Street, set forth in his recent pamphlet, will be heard tomorrow.

The commission expects to finish its investigations into the prices of eggs, butter, ham and bacon this week, and will proceed to take evidence regarding other food prices in the city.

NEW YORK FEARS FOOD SHORTAGE

Strike of Longshoremen and Other Workers Threatens Serious Curtailment—Teamsters Walk Out.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Thousands of longshoremen massed tonight in Cooper Union to vote on the question of calling off the strike which has virtually tied up New York harbor, but it was made so evident that they intend to stay out that the international officers abandoned their intention of putting the question to a vote.

The result of tonight's meeting leaves New York facing the prospect of curtailed food supply, for in addition to nearly 50,000 longshoremen, ferryboat workers and tugboatmen tying up freight movement, the walkout of 11,000 teamsters, chauffeurs and helpers today caused the American Railway Express company to place an embargo on all express packages entering and leaving New York.

PRINT MAGAZINE WITHOUT TYPE

New York Publication Resorts to Photographs of Copy for Production of Plates—May Revolutionize Methods.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Elimination of type-setting, one of the costliest of magazine production operations, by the use of plates made by photographing the original typewritten copy has been accomplished in the October 18 issue of the Literary Digest, consisting of 80 pages.

This radical innovation which was brought about by the printers' strike in this city, leads the publishers to suggest that "it is possible in this age of marvels that the whole future of magazine production may be revolutionized by the elimination of type-setting."

The make-up of the magazine is in no way changed, the only difference being that the style of type is that used on typewriters, and is uniform in all the reading matter throughout the number.

The right hand side of the column is irregular, as in ordinary typewritten copy. Each page is in effect a photographic copy of the original article as written on the typewriter.

Death of Mrs. C. St. L. Mackintosh

REVELSTOKE, Oct. 13.—The death occurred here Thursday of Mrs. Charles St. Lawrence Mackintosh, aged 45, daughter-in-law of Hon. Charles H. Mackintosh, ex-Governor of the Northwest Territories, and daughter of Mr. Warren Tottera, barrister, of Woodstock, Ont. She had lived in Ottawa, St. Catharines, Toronto and Vancouver. Her remains were accompanied to Winnipeg by her husband and daughter.

Candidates Named For Ontario House

Official Nominations Yesterday for Provincial Elections—Four Conservatives Elected by Acclamation—287 Candidates Are in Field for 111 Seats in Legislative Assembly

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—The official nominations today throughout the province occurred with little excitement, except in spots, but the contest for the 111 seats in the Legislature promises to be both exciting and uncertain. Never before were there so many candidates in the field, and never such a variety. Six parties figure in the race—Conservatives, Liberals, United Farmers, Independents, Labor and Socialists,—not to mention prohibitionists and anti-prohibitionists, and the political aspect is about as mixed as it can possibly be.

Only four acclamations were recorded here tonight, all Conservatives. Two of these are members of the Hearst Government, Dr. J. H. Cody, Northeast Toronto, Minister of Education, and Brig.-Gen. Ross, Kingston, minister without portfolio. The other two elections by acclamation are W. D. Black, M.P.P. for Addington, and J. R. Cooke, M.P.P. for North Hastings.

Except for the two Ministers mentioned as having been elected without a contest, all the members of the Hearst Government will have opposition.

The Premier, Sir William Hearst, however, is practically assured, of re-election at the "Soo," as his opponent, a labor man, is not regarded as a strong candidate. Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Provincial Hydro-Electric Power Co., is opposed by a labor man, Mr. H. H. Stevenson, a former mayor of London. The Liberals did not nominate a candidate today, as their choice of a week or two ago had announced that he would not run.

Two hundred and eighty-seven candidates are in the field, counting only one candidate in Manitoulin, which had not been heard from at a late hour. Of these, 101 are Conservatives, 72 Liberals, 60 United Farmers, 10 Labor and United Farmers, 23 Independents and 21 Labor candidates.

Even not counting the joint U.F.A.-Labor candidates in ten instances, the United Farmers' showing of candidates is very large and spells trouble for many of the old line politicians. Ten constituencies are without Government candidates.

There are six independent candidates, five soldiers, two Independent-Conservatives, two Independent-Liberals, two Socialists, three anti-prohibitionists, and William Proudfoot, Sir Adam Beck and Mrs. J. C. Sears, Ottawa West.

The nominations in Toronto were not exciting, except in Southwest Toronto, where Mr. H. H. Dewart, the Liberal leader, was heckled and interrupted to such an extent that at one stage the police had to be called in to restore quiet to the meeting. Mr. Dewart's war record was the chief matter on which he was treated roughly.

West Ottawa—H. P. Hill, Conservative; G. C. Hurdman, Liberal; John Cameron, Labor; Mrs. J. C. Sears, Independent.

East Ottawa—O. Durocher, Conservative; J. A. Pinard, Liberal; F. Lafortune, Labor.

Port Arthur—Donald M. Hogarth, Conservative; John P. Mooney, Liberal; E. J. B. Legner, Independent.

North Hastings—R. N. Cooke, Conservative, (acclamation).

East Peterboro—E. McDonald, U. F. A.; James Thomas, Conservative.

West Peterboro—G. A. Gillespie, Liberal; H. J. Sedan, Conservative; Thomas Tomes, Labor.

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FORMER AUSTRIAN WARSHIP IS SUNK

Kaiser Franz Josef I, Which Was Allotted to Jugo-Slavs, Reported to Have Been Sunk in Storm.

ROME, Oct. 13.—The Austrian warship Kaiser Franz Josef I., which had been allotted to the Jugo-Slav navy, sank during a hurricane, according to a dispatch. She was carrying ammunition for the Jugo-Slav army.

The Kaiser Franz Josef I. was an old second-class cruiser, completed in 1891. Her displacement was about 4,000 tons, and her armament consisted of two 9.4-inch, six 5.9-inch, and sixteen 1.8-inch guns. Her complement while in the Austrian navy was 426 men.

TORONTO VETERANS HAVE DEMONSTRATION

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—Several thousand veterans massed in Queen's Park this afternoon and listened to speakers representing the United Veterans' League denounced the Borden Government and renew their claims that it was not economically impossible for the country to pay the gratuity demanded by the league.

Two or three thousand Veterans marched through the downtown streets, and many women also marched, carrying banners emphasizing the demands of the United Veterans' League. One banner read: "We asked for justice and we got jeers."

President Still Ailing

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—President Wilson's condition remains much the same as for the past several days, and his organs are functioning normally, said a bulletin issued today by his physicians.

Allied Powers Send New Note to Berlin

German Government Is Sharply Told That It Is Not Doing Its Duty in Matter of Withdrawing Troops From Baltic Provinces—Corrective Measures Threatened

PARIS, Oct. 13.—Following is the text of the note sent to the German Government by the Allied and Associated Powers regarding the evacuation of the Baltic provinces:

"The Allied and Associated Governments note the formally expressed pretensions of the German Government—note of October 3—to undertake and to pursue in a most energetic manner the withdrawal of its troops from the Baltic regions and Lithuania.

"They also consider as opportune the measures decided upon by the German Government for that purpose. But when the German Government contends that the action they have taken must absolve them from the charge of fulfilling their honorable obligations under the armistice, it is necessary to point out that the orders of the German Government have, notwithstanding repeated demands and remonstrances on the part of the Allied and Associated Governments, been so long delayed, that the German Government now claims to be practically powerless to enforce them.

"It is difficult not to believe that their delay has been designed, calculated as it was to lead to the very results which the German Government now affects to deplore. It seems indeed impossible otherwise to explain their refusal to recall Gen. von der Goltz, who has been their official instrument in creating the present situation, in open defiance of the representations of the Allied and Associated Governments.

"Why was the German recall, thrice demanded, refused? Why was he (von der Goltz) after being summoned to Berlin only recently sent back deliberately to the scene of his atrocities, except to complete, under order of his office, the organization which now affords to the German Government the pretext that the troops hitherto paid, clothed and transported by them, have passed out of their control?

"Has Gen. von der Goltz acted contrary to their instructions? If so why has not his insubordination been punished, either by formal dismissal or in any other way?

"Unless some very much more satisfactory explanations of these matters than those hitherto afforded are given by the German Government, the Allied and Associated Governments cannot admit the contention that the German Government have, as they assert continually, made the most energetic efforts to withdraw the German troops from the Baltic states.

"According to recent information received from Letiva, the situation has suddenly become more grave on account of the offensive taken by German troops on October 8. Other troops have been violating the Courland-Lettish neutral zone, and have bombarded Lettish positions by armored trains, by airplanes and by poison gas shells. They have threatened the city of Riga and brought about the formation in Courland of a German-Russian Government opposed to the loyal government already established.

"In view of this situation the Allied and Associated Governments maintain the principle of the full responsibility of the German Government in the carrying out of the evacuation of the region, and they mean to maintain the integrity of the coercive measures announced in the third telegram of September 27 as long as the evacuation has not been undertaken and pursued with all desirable celerity. However, for the purpose of encouraging the execution of the operation and the lending of assistance to the German Government, the Allied and Associated Governments expect to send Allied representatives, whose mission should consist of (a) receiving from the German Government information regarding measures decided upon as well as in proposing measures which the mission itself may deem advisable; (b) in exercising on the spot, and with all power of action, effective control of the execution of said measures. The chairmanship of this Allied commission should be vested in the general office appointed by the Allied and Associated Governments. Only when that general office has informed the supreme council of the Allied and Associated Governments that operations of evacuation are progressing normally, can the stopping of measures provided for by the telegram of September 27 be considered.

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THIEVES SECURE VICTORY BONDS

Montreal Brokers Are Said to Have Lost Total of $25,000 During Past Week—Bogus Cheques Accepted.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12.—Four big Montreal brokers have lost $25,000 in Victory bonds within the last week. Each time the method employed to secure the property was the same.

On Thursday last Thornton, Davis & Company had a caller who gave the name of Brien, who declared he wanted to buy at once $5,000 of Victory bonds of the 1933 issue. He was told to come back for the securities next day, when they would be ready for him. He did so, and tendered a cheque for $4,750. It was so near the amount of the account that he was given the bonds. When the cheque was presented at the bank, it is said, there were no funds on hand to meet it, and investigation is alleged to have disclosed that three other firms had been victimized in the same manner, the lost bonds totalling in all $25,000.

CANDIDATES NAMED FOR ONTARIO HOUSE

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North Wentworth—F. C. Biggs, U. F. A.-Labor; S. J. Rasberry, Conservative.

Cochrane—R. S. Petter, Conservative; M. Lang, Liberal; John Vanier, Labor.

Niagara Falls—Dr. Musgrave, Conservative; C. F. Monroe, Liberal; C. F. Swayse, Labor.

Wellington South—J. Cockburn, U. F. A.; Rev. Capt. C. H. Buckland, Conservative; Sam Carter, Independent-Liberal.

South Brant—W. S. Brewster, Conservative; M. E. Harris, Liberal; M. McBride, Labor.

North Brant—Frank Smoke, Conservative; H. C. Nixon, U. F. A.; Kendrick, Liberal.

Hamilton West—J. A. MacFarlane, Conservative; Jas. Dixon, Liberal; Walter D. Rollo, Independent Labor.

Temiskaming—Thomas Magladery, Conservative; W. E. G. Montgomery, Labor-U. F. A.; Ralph Taylor, Liberal.

South Oxford—V. A. Sinclair, Conservative; Alex Rose, Liberal; A. T. Walker, U. F. A.

Parkdale—Lieut. W. H. Price, Conservative; Dr. John Hunter, Independent Liberal.

Riverdale—Controller W. D. Robbins, Conservative; Sergt.-Major Jas. McNamara, Soldier-Independent; J. C. Vick, Labor; George Lockhart, Socialist-Labor.

Sault Ste. Marie—Sir W. Hearst, Conservative; J. B. Cunningham, Labor.

Addington—W. D. Black, Conservative, (acclamation).

Glengarry—A. J. Macdonald, Liberal; Duncan Ross, U. F. A.

Kingston—Gen. Ross, Conservative, (acclamation).

Brockville—A. E. Donovan, Conservative; Dr. McAlpine, Liberal.

Leeds—Major A. W. Gray, Conservative; Dr. J. P. Sinclair, Liberal.

Grenville—Hon. G. H. Ferguson, Conservative; G. A. Payne, U. F. A.

Northeast Toronto—Seat "A"—Hon. H. J. Cody, Conservative (acclamation); Seat "B"—Capt. J. Thomson, Conservative; Lt.-Col. A. T. Kelly-Evans, Independent Conservative; Mrs. H. Bundy, Liberal; J. W. Buckley, Labor.

Southeast Toronto—Seat "A"—G. H. Gooderham, Conservative; H. H. Dewart, Liberal; Seat "B"—Major McBrien, Conservative; Capt. J. C. Ramsden, Liberal; J. McDonald, Labor.

Northwest Toronto — Seat "A"—Hon. Thomas Crawford, Conservative; G. G. Gane, Liberal. Seat "B"—Hon. W. D. McPherson, Conservative; Lt.-Col. H. S. Cooper, Liberal.

Southwest Toronto—Seat "A"—H. C. Schofield, Conservative; J. W. Currie, Liberal; A. Rupert, Independent Anti-Prohibitionist. Seat "B"—J. H. G. Wallace, Conservative; John O'Neill, Liberal.

North Perth—T. W. Hay, Liberal; W. A. Amos, U.F.A.; J. J. Mason, Conservative.

South Perth—Peter Smith, U.F.A.-Liberal; Dr. P. I. Coupland, Conservative.

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North Oxford—R. E. Butler, Conservative; J. A. Calder, Liberal; John Scott, Labor-Farmer.

North Waterloo—C. H. Mills, Conservative; W. J. Snyder, Liberal; G. O. Hachnell, Independent-Labor; G. Harber, U.F.A.; Nicholas A. Smussen, Independent Liberal; J. H. Reid, Socialist-Labor.

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Frontenac—A. M. Rankin, Conservative; W. M. Fawcett, U.F.A.; Dr. Spankie, Independent.

Nipissing—H. Morrel, Conservative; H. Marfus, Liberal; L. Wilson, Labor.

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JAPANESE LABOR OFFERS PROTEST

TOKYO, Oct. 13. — A clamor of protest has broken out in Japanese labor circles against the alleged interference by the Government with the selection of the representatives from the ranks of labor to go with the other Japanese delegates to the international labor congress at Washington sailing on the Fushimi Maru on October 9. The labor interests contend that the convention for the selection of the labor delegates was packed and dominated by the capitalistic interests, and that thus the voice of Japanese labor would not be heard at Washington.

Fossil of Giant in Mexico

MEXICO City, Oct. 13.—The fossilized remains of a giant measuring 32 feet 10 inches in height were, according to report, recently discovered by workmen near the little village of Nanacamilpa, State of Vera Cruz.

RUSSIANS GIVE ALLIES OFFENCE

Order for Removal of Troops Causing Disorder at Vladivostok Is Disobeyed—Communicate With Koltchak.

VLADIVOSTOK, Friday, Oct. 10.—A misunderstanding has arisen here between the Allied command and troops of Admiral Koltchak, head of the Omsk Government, as a result of a demand by the Allies that a recently arrived force of untrained Russian troops which has been creating disturbances be moved from the city.

The presence of these troops has resulted in numerous incidents of friction, including the murder of three Allied soldiers, one American, one Russian and one Czech, and minor affairs.

The Japanese General Inigaki, chairman of the inter-Allied conference, on September 26 sent a communication to General Rozanoff, Russian military commander in the Far East, ordering the withdrawal of the troops by noon on September 30, declaring that otherwise the necessary measures would be taken to compel the withdrawal. The province commander, Rozpov, then concentrated his forces. On the 13th Rozpov sent a letter to the Allies, quoting a telegram from Koltchak couched in strong terms, saying that the Allies had made an attempt on the sovereign rights of Russia, and ordering General Rozanoff not to move his troops from Vladivostok.

The Allies have communicated direct with Admiral Koltchak, explaining the local situation, believing that the Omsk Government has not been correctly informed as to conditions prevailing.

The Allies are awaiting further word from Admiral Koltchak.

GENERAL DENIKINE CONTINUES MARCH

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"The German Government is asked to kindly send its answer as soon as possible. The Allied and Associated Governments hereby notify the German Government they will hold it responsible for any acts of hostility by German troops directed against their representatives in the Baltic provinces."

German Statement

BERLIN, Oct. 11.—(Saturday)—An official statement is published here denying formally the allegation in the Lettish appeal to the Entente that German troops in the Baltic provinces have done everything possible to support Bolshevism and have attacked the Letts from the rear. The German rejoinder declares that this statement is contrary to the truth and is an agitation against Germany.

Germany has not broken the peace, it is declared, but on the contrary has done everything to enforce the terms of peace in the case of misled troops in a portion of the Baltic provinces. It is a matter of record, it is declared, that the Baltic troops (Germans) have not been the attackers, but that their return to Germany has been delayed and hindered by hostile acts of the Letts and Esthonians.

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NOMINATION AT RECENT CONVENTION

Speech of President of the Victoria Conservative Association at Gathering of Representatives at Vancouver.

The following nomination speech was delivered by Mr. H. M. Grahame, president of the Victoria Conservative Association, at the recent Vancouver Convention, when the name of Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., was presented to the gathering, with the result of his being the unanimous choice of the meeting:

"Mr. President and fellow delegates,—As a delegate from the capital city of Victoria, I have the honor to nominate as leader of the Conservative party in British Columbia a man whose name will undoubtedly receive your hearty approval. I ask you to bear with me a few minutes while I give you some of my reasons for his nomination.

"I am not going to attempt a panegyric, but simply use plain, blunt words in support of my nominee. I am going to nominate a man who is well known to you, as he was for long a resident of this city; he is, without a doubt, one of the ablest leaders that British Columbia has produced.

"He is the man against whom an ultra press has launched its slings and arrows, its gibes and jeers with but small effect. This continual abuse and villification of the leaders of our party is a favorite practice of the Liberals; it only results in nauseating the people; it acts as a boomerang; it has recoiled like poison gas on the Liberal forces before, and is doing so again at the present time.

"This insidious propaganda so persistently persevered in has even deceived some Conservatives, but they have got their eyes opened, and are now fast falling into line.

"My nominee was completely vindicated on the floor of the House by the present Premier as to his connection with the Pacific Great Eastern scheme.

"He is the man chiefly responsible for certain legislation only recently upheld by the Privy Council in London, the credit of which, of course, is claimed by the Liberals: another favorite practice of theirs.

"You can well remember the chaotic condition of our party after the election of 1916. Compare that condition with the splendid success of this convention today, which is due entirely to the energies of the man I propose to nominate.

"He is the man whose initiative was the means of granting the privilege of the franchise to the fair sex, a very large number of whom I am sure you men are glad to see at this convention as fellow-delegates; their votes and their influence in future will be great factors, and especially at the next election, when they will have an opportunity of expressing their appreciation. The Liberals only finished what he started. He is the man who will meet the returned men on fair grounds; it will not be necessary for massed delegations to march to the portals of the Legislature to be heard. He will see that due recognition of their valuable services to the Empire be granted, in so far as this province is concerned.

"He is the man chiefly responsible for the Wooden Shipbuilding Subsidy Act so callously annulled by the present Government.

"He is the man who has continuously attacked the Government of the day, riddled their organized and fast wavering ranks and shown them up in their true lights.

"He is the man best equipped, best qualified, with a more comprehensive knowledge of the potentialities and requirements of this great province of ours, a province which could enfold within its far-flung borders the three seaboard states to the south of us and still leave a tidy surplus of some 60,000 square miles; a great heritage, indeed, to guard and conserve in a right manner.

"He is the man the enemy would like to see down and out, because he is a terror to them.

"He is the logical man. He is the man for us.

"When completing this particular nomination, Mr. President and fellow delegates, let us do so with no uncertain voice, but with a thunderous acclaim that will sweep and reverberate throughout the length and breadth of this great province, from south to north and west to east, in such a manner as to thoroughly convince the people that a great reaction has taken place—that we have elected a man as our leader who has our confidence and we his, whom we are determined, at no distant date, to seat on the right of the Speaker over the bay, as the head of a sound, progressive and responsible Conservative Government.

"I, then, have very great pleasure, Mr. President and fellow delegates, in nominating this man to be our leader in this wonderland of British Columbia.

"I give you as my nominee, and I am sure he will be your united nominee, William John Bowser."



LIEUT.-COL. J. CHESTER HARRIS

One of the most popular of the 5th Regiment officers in pre-war days and well-remembered as an excellent rifle shot who was sent to England in command of Canadian gunnery teams on more than one occasion before the great fight began, is on his way back home. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harris, Superior Street, and hosts of his friends here will recall him when he joined the 5th Regiment as a bugler. During the early days of the war he was kept at the Willows training artillery units and consequently he was occupied in similar fashion with the 47th Battalion under Colonel Winsby. Eventually he reached England, where again he was retained for a time training men in artillery work at Ross Barracks. When he went to France it was in command of crews manipulating guns of the heaviest type, and for over a year he was in the thick of operations. It was only early this year that he received his promotion to Lieutenant-Colonel. About eighteen months ago he was sent home on War Office business, at which time he got married. He has always shown a very modest disposition, quoting from "Laws of the Navy" that "No man seeth the piston—but that driveth the ship none the less." He was mentioned in dispatches several times.

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NO HOUSING REPORT FOR COUNCIL TONIGHT

Aldermen Will Talk Over Plan With Returned Men Before Making Recommendation—Contrary Rumor Denied.

"We had no intention of reporting to the Council on this housing proposition until we interviewed the returned soldiers. Reports to the contrary are simply bunk."

This was the statement made to The Colonist yesterday by a member of the aldermanic committee appointed to draft a recommendation for the City Council's consideration relative to the housing scheme.

"We may meet the returned soldiers on Tuesday or possibly Wednesday, or even later, but we will see them before we make a report. Rest assured of that," the alderman continued.

It will be remembered that the housing scheme has already been twice rejected by the City Council. The second time it was turned down on the grounds that it was unconstitutional, it being held that the Municipal Act gave no permission to councils to finance house-building plans in the way prescribed in the Federal housing scheme. The council's objection on this point was based on a report made by ex-City Solicitor R. W. Hannington, and City Solicitor H. S. Pringle has backed up his predecessor.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, and administrator under the Act of the housing scheme in this province, in so far as distribution of funds through the province to the municipalities is concerned, takes issue with the council. His stand is supported by Deputy Attorney-General A. M. Johnson, who contends that the housing legislation takes precedence over the Municipal Act.

The City Council, however, is inclined to think that the advice it has received from its solicitors is just as valuable as that which Mr. Pattullo has received from his advisers.

Meantime, however, the aldermanic committee is trying to take a broad viewpoint of the whole question, and after interviewing the returned soldiers it will be in a position to place before the council the result of long study and impartial consideration.

There will be no report before the council tonight.

CONSTANCE BOULTON RETURNS TO FOLD

Now Rejoins Women Whom She Lately Accused of Various Alleged Offenses

Miss Constance Boulton is back in the fold of the I.O.D.E. once more, says The Toronto World of recent date.

At the closing session of last May's annual meeting Miss Boulton resigned not only as an officer but as a member of the I.O.D.E.

In her letter of resignation Miss Boulton gave as her reasons: Because of the unprincipled and disloyal action of a few members who have circulated garbled and false statements calculated to discredit the order and women of the highest character who have been elected to do the affairs of the order.

"In view of the fact that these actions are absolutely disloyal, and against the interests of the order, and that in spite of these facts the annual meeting has sustained these actions by electing the authors of these false and malicious statements, as counsellors and officers in the national executive, I refuse to act with them on the national executive, to which I have had the honor of being elected, and, therefore, sever absolutely my connection with the order."

Asked this morning if anything had been done concerning her charges and if she had now taken her place in committee with the officers she accused, Miss Boulton said:

"I made no charges. Yes, the women concerned are still on the committee. The matter has just been dropped.

"I was urged by so many of my friends, both in and out of Toronto, that I thought it only right that I should consider my decision. The annual meeting, too, sent me a very complimentary request to consider my decision. Taking these things into consideration I am glad to go back."

"Are you considering running as a parliamentary candidate?" Miss Boulton was asked.

"I don't think there is the slightest chance at present. In any case I wouldn't care to run as a candidate against any of our good men.

"I think I would run if sufficient pressure were brought to bear: but it would be very absurd to attempt it unless one had sufficient backing. I do not think the time is opportune. I don't think it would be wise, just when women are getting political power, to force matters.

"Unless I had real assurance that I would receive sufficient backing, I would not run, and so far I have not been sufficiently urged, although my candidacy has been casually mentioned.

"Of course, there may be by-elections later on," added Miss Boulton.

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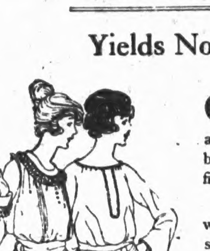
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PACIFIC TRADE.

Australia has entered so enthusiastically into the shipbuilding industry, that, in addition to keeping her own shipyards fully employed, she has contracted to build five vessels of 12,000 tons each in England. The net earnings of the Commonwealth Line, presumably for the last fiscal year, although the dispatch does not say so, were $17,500,000, or nearly eight per cent of the entire Federal revenue. This would indicate the industry is being carried on at a good profit. Australia is making a big bid for trade in the Pacific. Our Dominion Government is engaged in building a fleet of vessels, and no doubt some of these will be assigned to this ocean, but there should be a new programme in which construction is carried on in British Columbia, the tonnage for use between here and the Orient, so that Canada will get her full share of the Pacific trade. A considerable percentage of the imports to the Dominion from the Orient is now carried in foreign bottoms. The Japanese lines are constantly putting new vessels on the Puget Sound route. We, in Canada, have not made the attempt we should to secure our full share of the Pacific trade.

We have urged before that the Dominion Government should increase its shipbuilding programme to include a number of vessels set apart for trade on the Pacific Ocean. Australia's example is one should be followed. All the vessels this country wants for the new mercantile marine can be built in Canada, and with the encouragement given by the assurance of future contracts it will be unnecessary to go to England to have vessels constructed. The British Columbia representatives in Parliament should make a strong plea for shipbuilding as a productive public work, and a needed one in this era of reconstruction. We are to be self-supporting financially in the future. This means we could develop our own mercantile marine until it reaches proportions adequate to all our commerce requirements. Incidentally, shipbuilding has been proved to be one of the best methods of repatriation for, in British Columbia at all events, it has absorbed more returned soldiers than any other industry.

PRICES IN BRITAIN FALLING.

Reductions, which in these times appear to be notable, are taking place in many of the necessaries of life in Great Britain. The reason given for the downward tendency is that it is in response to the public demand. It is pointed out that customers are developing a firmer attitude and that the bargaining instinct is supplanting the ready acceptance of the quoted price. Women's costumes are $10.50 cheaper than they were three months ago, while velour hats which sold for $10 in the early Summer have been marked down to $6.25. Ceylon flannel is on sale at 70 cents a yard, and shirtings have dropped from $1.50 to $1.12 a yard. Tweed suits, which only a very short time ago cost $52.50, are now retailed at $36.75, while overcoats which last Winter sold for $25 can now be purchased for $17.50. Women's costumes have gone down from $37.50 to $26.25, while the cheaper lines are being offered at $18.75. Winter coats for women have decreased in price as much as $26.50 each.

Clothes of every kind are conspicuous among the commodities the prices of which are on the downward trend. In the West End of London, where the prices for men's suits are always highest in Great Britain, suits which a short time ago were selling for $60 are now as low as $40. Pyjamas, which last Winter cost $4.12, have been reduced a dollar, while woolen vests and shirts show a reduction of $1.25 a pair. Socks, formerly $1.12, can now be bought for 37 cents, and gloves are 50 cents a pair cheaper. Furniture, crockery, tinware and the majority of domestic utensils are falling in price. Boots are shillings cheaper, and repairs are also costing less. Silk blouses are among the goods "marked down." The general downward tendency is being shared in by a number of foodstuffs.

What is happening in Britain is partly due to greater production owing to the replacement in industries of men who were taken out of them dur'ng the war. Another reason, which we have pointed out, is the new bargaining spirit among the people which appears to have had the effect of helping to reduce prices. No doubt, too, the reductions may in some sense be traced to the recent legislation which made profiteering a crime. The probability is, however, that the main reason is greater production, for the ability to meet the demand was certain to have an immediate effect on prices. What is happening in Britain will certainly have a reflex action on this continent before long. This should be especially noted in the price of clothing. Some time ago, in evidence before the Board of Commerce, it was given out that the cost of clothing material in Canada was less than in Great Britain, but this is hardly verified by the retail prices which we have quoted. Wages, of course, are higher here, but if the cost of clothing material is anything like the same, this country suffers in comparing the costs of the finished articles. All reports are agreed that Britain is solving her cost of living problem.

RACE SUICIDE.

Sir Rider Haggard has given some startling evidence before the National Birthrate Commission now sitting in London. In his opinion, unless a startling change happens, the Western races within two centuries will be submerged by a great new influx from the East. He doubts the possibility of appealing to the conscience of the Empire to stamp out race suicide and hints at the possibility that as a last resort the State could, directly or indirectly, bring up all children. He is pessimistic in the extreme. No doubt, what he has said is based on evidence he has collected, but some of the conclusions he reaches hardly seem warranted. In the first place it is quite palpable that whatever race suicide is going on is due to a wave of feeling that responsibilities should be shirked. This feeling is caused by the luxuries of civilisation having come within the grasp of all. It is caused, incidentally, by the impossibility in so many households of obtaining domestic help. The consequence is that wives who should be mothers have to devote their time to other domestic duties. It is caused, too, by a growing selfishness which urges people to live their own lives and get all they can out of existence without burdening themselves with cares which can be avoided.

The whole trend of modern thought is to work less, have more leisure for amusements, and, consequently, to have small families. It is a state of mind which may merely mark a phase of civilization, but which may prove permanent unless it is possible to appeal to the conscience of the people. More than ever, perhaps, this state of mind has been strengthened through the sacrifices endured during the war, but it existed before and its evidences are found on every hand. If what Sir Rider Haggard fears is true, and the virility of the East is finally to overwhelm the effeteness of the West, then what we today regard as the most highly civilized nations will thoroughly deserve their fate. For peoples who shirk responsibilities, and there is none greater than motherhood, there is always a reckoning in store which is bound to come sooner or later. Today the peoples of the Great Powers, numerically in the minority, are seeking to impose their social will on other nations. However successful they may appear to be on the surface, it is doubtful if they can eventually prevail, for where social conditions are concerned it is a doubtful experiment. The more backward races of the world are reproducing their species far more successfully than those who are supposed to be civilized, and the civilized are indulging in race suicide simply that they may the better enjoy the pleasures of civilization.

It cannot be contended that it is either social or economic conditions which are responsible for what is happening. Among the civilized peoples the suffering, even in the lowest strata of society, is infinitesimal compared with what has to be endured in the most thickly populated countries in the globe, and those which we regard as the least civilized. It is simply a state of mind, caused through luxury having spread to all classes, that has led to the shirking of responsibilities, a condition which, if persisted in, will lead to degeneracy in the races affected. What we want is a better conception of the gospel of work and of duty. All that the State can do will be unavailing unless the people imbibe an old psychology. Least of all would State control of motherhood, or of children, or the subsidising of motherhood, have any tendency to put an end to race suicide. The nationalization of children is the resort of a nation lost to all sense of honor and decency, and is the hall mark of swift decay. The strongest and greatest safeguard of a people is family life. Until the British Empire and other countries affected get back to this first principle of social service there will be no solution to the problem about which Sir Rider Haggard is so pessimistic.

Export Duty on Hides

The United States Consul at Calcutta, India, has notified the Department of Commerce at Washington that a bill has been introduced before the Viceroy's Legislative Council imposing an export duty of 15 per cent on Indian hides and skins with 10 per cent rebate for shipments to destinations within the British Empire, providing that before re-export they are tanned there. The report adds that the bill will undoubtedly be approved and will go into effect immediately.

As the United States draws from India a very large part of the supply of goat skins for the manufacture of shoes, the preference involved in this new legislation may stimulate the Canadian boot and shoe industry at the expense of manufacturers in the United States. At any rate, the Canadian leather tanning industry should be advantageously affected.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Chinese in Canada

Sir,—The newspapers have been giving a good deal of publicity to the question of Chinese voting in the forthcoming by-election, and in order not to be misled by the "lying capitalist press," I have also been reading The Tribune, from which we are sure to get a truthful report of speeches made by the Labor candidate. In the following remarks which, with your permission, I would like to make, I am relying upon The Tribune's report of Mr. Barnard's speech.

Mr. Barnard is reported to have said that "a law compelling employers to pay the same wage to Chinks as paid to white men would soon settle the Chinese question in Canada. Ships enough could not be found to carry them back to China owing to the unemployment this policy would entail." I do not think the "Chinks" would object to being paid higher wages, but I question if Mr. Barnard would quite relish having to pay more rent for his house, or a considerable increase in the cost of building a new one for the working men, nor do I think he will quite relish perhaps considerably increasing the "cost of living," which is already high. As to "ships enough could not be found, etc.," I would remind Mr. Barnard that during the greatest scarcity of shipping in the most critical period of the war, when "the fate of Democracy was hanging in the balance," ships enough were found to carry 300,000 Chinks to France; today ships enough are being found to carry back to China 84,000 Chinamen who have served the purpose of "Democracy" in France.

I presume Mr. Barnard and those who desire to perpetuate the race question are willing to reciprocate and have all white men leave China. Perhaps Mr. Barnard does not know that there are 65,000 white men in China, and only 38,000 Chinamen in the whole of Canada. There were 47,000 admitted altogether, the rest (that is, the difference between 47,000 and 38,000) are either dead or are still in China, having taken advantage of the extension of time given them by the Dominion Government. These Chinese have contributed at least ten million dollars to the Canadian revenue upon their initial arrival, and exclusive of the ordinary taxes which they have paid. Can Mr. Barnard show another 38,000 of any of the alien "white" races of Eastern Europe or Southern Europe who have made equal contributions?

There is another little point which perhaps Mr. Barnard has overlooked, and that is that there are more Chinese lying dead in the cause of "Democracy" in France than there are Chinese in Canada.

As to the reported remarks, "the place of the Chinaman was in China, where they belonged. Our place is here." If the place of the Chinaman is in China the place for Mr. Barnard is in the British Isles, where he belonged. And Canada belongs to the Canadian Indians. If the right to stay here is governed by the right of discovery, the Chinese were in B.C. long before Columbus was thought of. I am not writing this to argue the point, but to plead for that British sense of justice and fair-play which has made the British Empire what it is. If the Great War was fought against militarism, then we should grant to those who have practised non-militarism proper consideration; if it was fought for the "sanctity of a scrap of paper," then at whatever cost, though in my opinion the cost is very small, we should honor our scrap of paper. If the Great War was fought for justice, then justice we should give. If we have fought for none of these high principles, but merely to down another group of countries through the power of might, then let us drop hypocrisy and pharaseism and openly declare that might is right, and that those who are not prepared to fight for their rights must remain slaves. We must admit that the justice we prate of is only a name to be twisted to suit our purpose.

Mr. Editor, of late years politicians have been too anxious to throw over principles for expediency, and apparently none have been found with enough courage to stand for high principles. Don't you think that after fighting a most devastating war the time has come to judge a candidate by his principles, and not by what form of legal bribery he can offer us?

We claim to be a Christian nation; we have not practised it, and apparently we are satisfied that our Christianity need only be lip Christianity. The great churches have been silent, they are content to send missionaries to China to preach the brotherhood of man in the eyes of God, but to see, in Canada, the lie given to what they preach. Yet the hope of the world, if future wars are to be avoided, must lie in the practice of Christianity, not merely talking about it. No League of Nations will prevent future wars. I commend my remarks to all those who are Christians, and all those who believe in the high principles for which we said we fought this war, to give to the Chinese amongst us that justice which is his.

H. HASTINGS.

323 Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C., Oct. 11, 1919.

The Coming By-Election

Sir,—I am not a politician, and I have no axe to grind; but for over a quarter of a century I have been in Victoria, a citizen of no mean city, and consequently I am interested in its prosperity, which is largely contingent on the men at the head of its public affairs. We are now on the eve of a by-election, on the result of which greatly depends the progress or retrogression of this, the queen city of the west.

At the last general election for the Federal Parliament one of the principal planks in the policy of the Union Government was "Win the war," and "conscription" was advocated as a corollary to accomplish that end. The Union Government was sustained by a large majority, the Hon. S. F. Tolmie being elected in this city to support the government by the largest vote polled for any candidate in the history of the constituency. Recently Dr. Tolmie was made a member of the cabinet and given the portfolio of Agriculture, which is not only an acknowledgement of his ability but also a marked honor to his constituency, the capital city of British Columbia. In my humble opinion, as matters at present stand throughout Canada, the portfolio of Agriculture is the most important in the Dominion Government, and Dr. Tolmie, by education and long practical experience, is preeminently qualified to wisely and efficiently administer the duties of Minister of Agriculture. He is now here to get the approval of the constituency to his having accepted the position of minister of the Crown in the Dominion cabinet, and it would be a discreet and gracious act on the part of the people of Victoria to elect him by acclamation, as the citizens of Kingston intend to do in the case of Sir Harry Drayton, who has been recently appointed Minister of Finance. The two local newspapers and the leading workers in both political parties having pledged him their support, the two candidates who intended to oppose Sir Harry are reported to have withdrawn. This is as it should be also in Victoria.

Dr. Tolmie has proven himself to be a man who well deserves our implicit confidence, being honest, upright, and honorable. He is a man of the people, as ready to give audience to the humblest citizen as he is his worship the Mayor, and as willing to help the one as he is the other. He has always been as our representative at Ottawa true to the best interest of the Dominion, and especially so to that of Victoria, his native city. I have carefully followed Dr. Tolmie's career since he was elected, and I have no hesitation in saying that while we always had loyal men to represent us in the Canadian House of Commons, we never had a better man than our present member, nor one more interested in the welfare of his constituency and in the progress of our city. Dr. Tolmie is and always has been an unwavering friend to our soldiers, and is anxious to have the government do for them all the country can afford, for he is convinced that nothing is too good for the men who have crossed the sea and fought for the freedom of humanity and the rights of the weak against the strong; the men who did much to win the war, who placed Canada in the sun, and whose bravery and heroism were extolled in the highest terms by Marshal Foch, Field Marshal Haig and General Pershing.

But this being a by-election, even should Dr. Tolmie be defeated, which is not at all likely, his defeat would not in the least jeopardize the stability of the government, nor cause it in any way to change its policy. Why then are the twin cities of the lower mainland so anxious to have Dr. Tolmie defeated in our city? Indeed so much so that they sent a candidate from "the other side of the gulf" to oppose him, and accompanied that candidate with orators to champion his cause here. The answer which some give this question seems to have more truth than poetry, viz: Some time ago the Dominion Government announced its intention to build the largest drydock on the Pacific coast either at Vancouver or at Esquimalt. The citizens of Vancouver, as might be expected, were untiring in their efforts to induce the government to build the dock at their city. The citizens of Victoria were equally persistent to have the dock built at Esquimalt, near Victoria. To the great disappointment of our good friends across the water the government recently decided to place this dock of 1,100 feet at Esquimalt. Men are now testing the ground foundation tentatively at a couple of sites. Their report cannot be sent to the government until some time after the election on the 27th instant. Should Dr. Tolmie be defeated at the poll it is just within the possibility of human weakness that the report may not satisfy the government, and the cabinet may decide that the ground foundation near Victoria is not suitable for so large a drydock, and consequently the dock goes to our ambitious neighbor across the straits. Let us run no risk, but return Dr. Tolmie, if not by acclamation, by an overwhelming majority.

(Capt. the Rev.) JOHN CAMPBELL.

Breadalbane, Victoria, B.C., October 13, 1919.

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MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—In a letter addressed to the clergy of the diocese, read in Catholic churches, Archbishop Bruchesi appeals to the generosity of the faithful of the archdiocese for the purpose of presenting a suitable testimonial to Cardinal Mercier on the occasion of his visit. He would like to offer the Cardinal at least $5,000.

The Archbishop states that the reconstruction of the University of Louvain is but one of the many works in which the Cardinal is deeply interested.

LINER BELGIC LANDS TROOPS AT HALIFAX

HALIFAX, Oct. 13.—The White Star liner Belgic arrived yesterday morning with about 600 returned soldiers. The steamer docked at 7:45 a.m. and the men were all on their way home by 10 o'clock.

The first train left at 9:30 o'clock and the second at 10:10 o'clock.

Among the officers on board were Capt. D. W. Corbett and Capt. E. H. Cope, Edmonton.

The United States Consul-General at Sydney, Australia, in a report to the Department of Commerce at Washington says that the question of exchange with the United States continues to be a serious barrier against the purchase of American merchandise by Australian merchants. He also reports "a formidable movement to make Australia more of a manufacturing country, also to substantially increase the tariff and the preferential in favor of Great Britain."

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The British Colonist of October 14, 1869)

From the Mainland—The steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster at 10 o'clock last night bringing 41 passengers and a large mail from Cariboo. His Excellency the Governor, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Capt. Fleming, J. Armstrong, Mrs. Goode, F. J. Barnard and family, F. H. Lamb, M. Richardson, C. Oppenheimer were among the arrivals.

Ploughing Match at Saanich—A ploughing match at Wm. Thompson's, South Saanich, has been arranged for Tuesday the 2nd of November. Prizes will be awarded for the best ploughing by adults and youths under 18 years.

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Girls' Wool Cap and Scarf Sets, in plain knit or brushed wool. Plain colors and stripes in rose, saxe, robin's-egg, apple green and yellow. The caps are finished with pompon or buckle. Large scarf with fringe ends. Price, $1.98 to $3.98.

Girls' Wool Sweater Coats, in heavy knit; some have large sailor collar, belt and pockets; others small collar and strap across back. Colors saxe, nell rose and paddy; sizes 2 to 12 years. Price, $4.75 to $9.50.

Sample "Teddy Bear" Suits for kiddies, including cap, sweater coat or slipover sweater and wool overalls, with or without feet. Made of brushed wool or plain knit, in saxe, cardinal, white or brown; sizes 3 to 6 years. Price, $4.59 to $8.49.

Kiddies' All-Wool Pullover Sweaters, in plain or ribbed knit, with shawl collar, laced front and long sleeves; colors rose with white, fawn and blue, turquoise and white, or plain blue; sizes 2 to 6 years. Price, $3.75 and $6.50.

Children's Pure Wool Sweater Coats in white with pink or blue rosebud designs; button front style with small collar; also plain heavy knit with belt; sizes 1 to 3 years. Price, $4.75 to $6.00.

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Kiddies' White Wool Crochet Tams, with pompon on top; sizes 2 to 8 years. Price, $1.50 and $2.50.

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Girls' White Flannelette Gowns, in high neck style, with yoke across back, long sleeves; some with V-neck, finished with self frill or scalloping; sizes 2 to 14 years. Price, $1.00 and $2.25.

Children's White Flannelette Petticoats, with full gathered skirt, on cotton bodice, buttoned back style. Skirt has two rows of tucks and hemstitched hem; sizes 2 to 12 years. Price, 69c to 89c.

Children's White Flannelette Drawers, finished with elastic at knees and band at waist; sizes 2 to 12 years. Price, 69c to 89c.

Kiddies' White Tibet Fur Sets

Kiddies' White Tibet Furs, in cape and stole styles, with pillow muff, suitable for children from 2 to 14 years. Neatly lined with white satin and silk cord. Price, set, $8.75, $13.50 and $19.50.

Dainty Little Wool Garments for Baby



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Infants' Wool Jackets, in many styles; some with square yoke, others plain. They come in white with touches of pink or blue. Price, $1.50 to $2.25.

Infants' Wool Bootees, in fancy crochet or plain knit; knee length. White with pink or blue trimmings. Price, 95c.

Infants' All-Wool Mitts, in white with ribbon at wrist; made with or without thumbs. Price, 50c.

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Will Try to Avert Strike

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Some official action either by President Wilson or the cabinet to avert the threatened strike of soft coal miners on November 1 is to be expected, it was said today at the White House. Officials regard the matter as one requiring governmental action.

Reported Queensland Loan

BRISBANE, Australia, Oct. 13.—References to the reported negotiation of a loan of £2,000,000 in America for the state of Queensland were made in the legislative assembly here Friday, but the state treasurer subsequently refused either to confirm or deny the rumor.

CURTISS CONCLUDES ADVENTUROUS TRIP

Pathfinder II Returns After Exciting Time in States—Arrives in Victoria in Blinding Fog and Rain Squalls.

When Mr. W. H. Brown took the Pathfinder II. out of her shed some ten days ago to fly to Puyallup, little did he dream that the great god Luck would behave the way it did.

Held by the American customs at Puyallup, on a slight technicality that was afterwards adjusted by the authorities at Washington, the proposed exhibition at that fair had to be postponed. Subsequently the Pathfinder II. did fly to Puyallup and complete its business.

From Puyallup Mr. Brown, with Mr. Charles Plant as passenger, flew to Friday Harbor, and gave an exhibition of stunting there, taking up several adventurous joy-riders. Here again the noble Curtiss succeeded in carrying three human lives with evident enjoyment and safety. Twice did intending passengers refuse to be separated, and insisted on riding together in the forward seat of the Pathfinder II.

Returning from Friday Harbor, which the pilot left at 6:45 p.m. on Sunday, the machine struck into heavy fog and low-lying clouds. Without a compass, the pilot manoeuvred until the islands off Sidney were sighted. He was then flying at a height of only 500 feet, and driving through heavy rain and fog.

However, accompanied by the luck that has attended his long flying career in France, Mr. Brown picked up his way and headed in from the island off Sidney on the dead run with nose down and engine on, attaining a speed of some 90 miles an hour.

The navigation of the Gulf in rain and fog and without any compass or other aids to correct direction will stand as a record in the books of the local Aerial League. After some ten days of indifferent housing, the Pathfinder II. finished up the trip in excellent shape and justified the confidence of the pilot in flying home under such trying conditions.

BIG ILLICIT STILL FOUND AT GRIMSBY

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Oct. 13.—The authorities recently found the biggest illicit still ever in operation in Canada, and resembling some of the mammoth affairs to be found in the mountains of the United States.

It was discovered at the home of a barber, Frederick St. John, in the village of Grimsby, seventeen miles west of St. Catharines.

It is believed this is the source of thousands of gallons of illicit whisky.

The boiler in connection with the still was so large and heavy that it took six men to carry it, and there were great pipes running from it to the "worm."

St. John, who is a returned soldier, is about 28 years old. He was remanded.

YOUNG HUNTER FALLS DOWN MOUNTAINSIDE

William Bayliss Plunges Down Mount Finlayson Cliff on Sunday, Sustaining Injuries Which May Prove Fatal.

Falling a distance of forty feet down a steep declivity on Mount Finlayson, Saanich Arm, William Bayliss, aged 19, of 1577 Yale Street, Royal Oak, was so badly injured while hunting on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, that little hope of his recovery is entertained. His back was broken, his head badly cut, and other serious injuries sustained. He is now lying at the Royal Jubilee Hospital in a very critical condition.

Young Bayliss, in company with a friend, Frank Webb, Bowker Avenue, arrived at Mount Finlayson on Sunday morning about ten o'clock. They separated and scoured the bush, meeting again at the foot of the mountain. Bayliss then started to go to the top of the mountain, requesting his companion to keep along in a fairly level stretch about forty or fifty feet below him. Bayliss shortly afterwards called out he saw a deer and told his companion to keep going. The latter did so but as he saw nothing he returned and called out but got no answer. Shortly he heard groaning and making a search discovered Bayliss lying at the bottom of a cliff wedged in between two projecting portions of rock which, when he fell, prevented him being precipitated further down the mountain side. Bayliss was conscious but unable to move, the lower portion of his body being paralyzed.

Webb did what he could to ease the position of the injured youth, and telling him he was going for assistance he made down the mountain side, meeting a motorist who rushed him to Goldstream, whence he telephoned for the Cameron and Catwell ambulance and notified Provincial Constable Robert Owens. Webb then went back, and with two Indians whom he met, made efforts to get Bayliss down the side of the mountain, but was unable to do so as the latter was absolutely helpless. Shortly afterwards Constable Owens, his brother and J. Kinsellar, with four Indians and two other men, reached the scene of the accident, and after more than two hours' work, got Bayliss, who had to be strapped to the ambulance stretcher, to the roadway. The steep mountain side made it very difficult and dangerous to remove Bayliss, at times the stretcher-bearers being perilously near being precipitated down the steep incline, the bearers being held by others in the rear with ropes to permit them to slowly ease their burden down. Once placed in the ambulance Bayliss was rushed to the city and at the hospital was attended by Dr. Ernest Hall.

Bayliss has been employed for some time at the shipyard of the Harbor Marine Company, Point Ellice.

SCOUTS HOLD BUMPER FIELD DAY OUTING

Victoria Boy Scouts and Officers Have Strenuous Day of Wartime Tactics and Keen Competition Is Displayed.

Taking advantage of the weather and the Thanksgiving Holiday, the Victoria Boy Scouts turned out to a field day yesterday to the number of 90 odd. All troops were represented and there was a full quota of officers on parade.

The first event on the programme was the strategic attack and defence of Gonzales Hill. The Collegiate School troops succeeded in passing a number of scouts through the defending lines, and so won the honors of the day.

In the test of dispatch running much keen competition was displayed, and some excellent performances were recorded. The McLean troop won first place, Granite Street Wolf Pack took second, and the St. James troop occupied third. A feature of the turnout was the number of returned Old Boys who paraded for the first time since their return from overseas.

Lieut.-Col. Hall and Rev. T. R. Heneage were present at the manoeuvres, and the latter gave an address on the outlook for the coming season. He said that it was his earnest ambition to see a thousand scouts on parade, and that the record won by the scouts in the war would be backed up by the performance of the local scout movement in the reconstruction period.

The day closed with a "bun feed" at the headquarters of the Granite Street Wolf Pack at the St. Columba Church. After the keenness and friendliness of the day's activities, the boys returned to their homes tired out but contented with the adventures of the field day.

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Meeting Thursday Night in Arcade Block Will Be First in Rooms Just Secured

A large attendance of Conservatives is expected at the informal meeting to be held in the new rooms in the Arcade Block on Thursday evening. The new quarters just secured are commodious and comfortable, and to celebrate their opening, Thursday's meeting has been arranged. An excellent programme will be rendered, one of the features of which will be the showing of the moving picture of the recent happenings at the Provincial Conservative Convention at Vancouver.

All members of the ward organizations are urged to be present, and, in fact, a general invitation to all Conservatives of the city, is extended. President H. M. Grahame will preside, and among the speakers will be Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., M.P.P., leader of the party in the province.

Victoria Conservatives plan to keep alive the enthusiasm engendered at the provincial convention, and, in view of the likelihood of a general provincial election next year, will immediately commence active organization work.

VISITING COURTENAY

Lieut.-Col. Foster and Lieut.-Col. Peck, V.C., Left for Soldiers' Settlement Today

Lieut.-Col. W. W. Foster, who returned a day or two ago from Vancouver, is leaving this morning with Lieut.-Col. Peck, V.C., M.P., for the soldiers' settlement at Courtenay, with a view to looking over the place. Since returning to British Columbia from the East, where he was visiting at the time of his appointment to the soldiers' unemployment work, Colonel Foster has been busy investigating along independent lines, the results being the forwarding to Ottawa of a number of suggestions which may or may not be acted upon by the department in their consideration of the wisest measures to adopt for the re-establishment of veterans. Colonel Foster has not limited his sources of information, and has consulted great numbers of the returned men themselves, as well as many of the organizations which are interested in or would be affected by any legislation along these lines.

SINN FEIN OUTRAGES INCLUDE 16 MURDERS

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The Belfast correspondent of The Morning Post devotes half a column to resolutions sent by the Canadian Ulster Union League, adding that Ulster Unionists are quietly perfecting their organization.

Meanwhile, the correspondent says, the Government is still pandering to the sedition mongers.

Dublin castle issues an official return of outrages attributed to the Sinn Feiners from May, 1916, to September, 1919, showing 1,293 outrages, including sixteen murders.

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City and District in Brief

Lady Alderson Chapter—The regular meeting of the Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place at 2:30 on Friday, October 17, in the Jones Building.

Esquimalt Council Meets — The regular meeting of the Esquimalt Municipal Council will be held this evening, having been postponed from yesterday on account of the holiday.

Will Sing Tonight—Mr. Ernest Petch, lately returned from overseas, will sing two numbers at the St. John's organ recital tonight. The selections will be "Thou Art Passing Hence" and "The Lord Is My Light."

Dinner Committee—There will be a special meeting of the General Currie dinner committee of the Campaigners in their rooms at 201 Union Bank Building at 8 o'clock this evening.

Loses Valuables—A. Low, cook on the C. P. R. steamship Princess Victoria, reported to the police yesterday that his room on board the vessel had been broken into and a gold watch and a much prized ring, made of Alaska gold, had been stolen.

Women's Canadian Club—The annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club will be held at the Comrades of the Great War club rooms, Douglas and Courtney Streets, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Election of officers and important business.

Motor Lost, Recovered—The motor car belonging to Rev. Mr. Littler, Royal Oak, was stolen from in front of the Strawberry Vale post office on Saturday afternoon. Later it was found on the North Saanich Road, being driven by two lads who claimed a man had given it to them. The Saanich police have the case in hand.

Fire at School—A fire smouldering in a quantity of coal in the basement of the Sir James Douglas school required the attention of the fire brigade yesterday at noon. The cause of the fire, which is believed to have been smouldering for a day or two, is a mystery. The damage done to the building was nil.

Scouts' Annual Meeting—The annual meeting of the Victoria Boy Scouts' Association is to take place on Wednesday, October 15 at the Collegiate School, commencing at 8 p.m. All Scout officers, members and associate members of the association are requested to attend. Business of vital importance to the progress of the organization will be taken up, and a large attendance of parents and all interested is cordially invited.

A Public Meeting—This evening a public meeting will be held in Christ Church Cathedral school room at 8 o'clock. All members of the Church of England in the City and district are invited to this gathering, when the aims and objects of the Forward Movement will be set forth in an address by the Ven. F. C. C. Heathcote. It is hoped that representatives from every parish will be in attendance, and the presence of all holding offices in connection with church committees and parish organizations is particularly desired.

Lost His Prescription—Alleging that Sunda Singh took advantage of him while he was ill last week, Buda Singh carried a tale of woe to the police yesterday to the effect that the former had purloined a doctor's prescription calling for two quarts of rum and had gone to the Government vendor and cashed in on the prescription, securing the liquor, which he consumed. Buda Singh didn't know just what could be done. He appeared not so anxious to prosecute his fellow countryman as he was to get back the liquor.

At K. of C. Hut—Encouraged by the success and appreciation that has attended its efforts at social entertainment thus far, the Hut is to stage a regular program of Winter entertainment. Friday nights will in the near future be utilized for this purpose. Friday, October 24, will be the date of the next five hundred party, and from then on every alternate Friday night will be the card entertainments. The other Friday nights will be occupied by a social followed by a dance. A large number of soldiers and their friends are taking advantage of the enjoyable socials staged by the K. of C. Hut officials.

Business Boys' Social—All boys employed in the City are cordially invited to attend a Business Boys' social at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday, October 15 at 7:30 p.m. An extensive programme of entertainment has been arranged, and a thoroughly good time is assured to all. Games and exhibitions in the gymnasium will be followed by swimming and diving features in the pool. A grand social, followed by a heavy list of refreshments, will conclude the affair. The Boys' Work officials of the "Y" are making use of every available minute to crown the Business Boys' social with success.

At Craigdarroch—A very happy evening was spent by the patients at Craigdarroch Hospital last night, bridge occupying the last two hours and dancing the remainder of the allotted time up to midnight. Fourteen tables were arranged for the card-players, and after a very interesting two hours' play the first prizes for lady and gentleman were awarded to Nursing Sister H. Miller, of the Jubilee Hospital, and Mr. W. Sedger, respectively. A musical programme and dancing followed the announcement of the winners of the bridge, Matron Macleod and other members of the staff being present to participate in the entertainment also. The committee of patients entrusted with the arrangements comprised Messrs. Donaldson, Newlands, Roison and Byrne. There is to be a concert on Wednesday in the big hall at Craigdarroch, and a big audience is expected for this.

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Y.M.C.A. Plan Busy Week—Great activity is being evinced by the various departments of the Y.M.C.A. for next week. Basketball, swimming and social events are to be held in connection with the opening of the season. The boys' department is holding a social for all employed boys of the City on Wednesday evening next at 7:30. There will be basketball and relay races in the gymnasium and swimming events in the pool. Supper will be served in the Boys' Social rooms, and all employed boys are invited, a good time being assured.

Comrades' Dance—Success attended the Comrades of the Great War in their dance at Alexandra Club last night, more than two hundred couples being present to participate in the popular pastime. The G. W. V. A. orchestra supplied the music, and it was shortly after one o'clock when they played the National Anthem as the signal for the guests to disperse. A very capable committee, composed of Comrades Gunn, Ross, Smith, Bryson and Ripley, had charge of the arrangements in general, while the Women's Auxiliary, under the direction of Mrs. Tripp, took charge of the buffet supper. At the door, receiving tickets and money, were Comrades Smith and Gunn, while Comrades Greaves and Bryson acted as masters of ceremony. The ballroom was very attractively decorated with festoons of purple and gold, and at one end of the hall was displayed the Comrades' banner.

Aerial League Dance—Always successful in its social activities, the local branch of the popular flying association is planning to outdo all previous attempts in the forthcoming programme dance to be held at the Alexandra Club Wednesday, commencing at 9 o'clock. Heaton's orchestra, with special novelties, has promised to attend, and many new features will be incorporated in the general arrangements. The committee is working hard to make the affair one of the most enjoyable events of the season. The dancing of the "Maxina" is creating considerable excitement in local circles, and the eleventh-hour efforts of many to acquire a knowledge of the necessary steps is affording no little amusement. Tickets may still be obtained from any of the following committee: G. A. Cameron, R. Grieg, R. G. Christy and W. Kirkpatrick-Crockett, also from Wilkerson the jeweler, and officers of the Aerial League.

MR. JAMES HENDERSON DIES IN LOS ANGELES

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—Word has been received from Los Angeles that the death occurred yesterday in that city of Mr. James Henderson, president of the Henderson Directory Co., which has branches throughout the West, and publishes, among others, the Vancouver and Victoria directories.

The late Mr. Henderson was born in Montreal 73 years ago. After a residence in Winnipeg of more than 47 years, about sixteen years ago the late Mr. Henderson decided to settle in Vancouver, as he found the mild climate of the Coast better for his failing health.

The widow and three sons, Leonard G., J. Selby, and Bert, all of Winnipeg, and two married daughters, survive him.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

103rd Battalion Timber Wolves Club general meeting will be held at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, October 15, in Y.M.C.A.

Federated Labor Party will hold a dance, whist drive and refreshments in K. of P. Hall, Wednesday, Oct. 15.

Masquerade Ball, Foundation Club House, Wednesday evening, Oct. 15. Dancing 9-1, Ozard's 5-piece special orchestra; strictly invitational.

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Dance at Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Wednesday, Oct. 15, (funds to provide playshed at Keatings School), under the auspices of the South Saanich Women's Institute. Coffee and cake will be served.

The regular monthly meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held at headquarters, Jones Block, on Thursday evening, 16th, at 8 o'clock.

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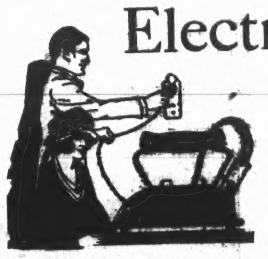
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THE WEATHER

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SYNOPSIS

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TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B.C.	49	68
Vancouver	50	68
Kamloops	44	69
Barkerville	32	--
Prince Rupert	36	52
Calgary, Alta.	36	--
Winnipeg, Man.	52	--
Portland, Ore.	52	64
San Francisco, Cal.	54	68
Port Arthur	36	--
Penticton	40	66
Nelson	34	68
Cranbrook	26	52

SUNDAY

Highest	69
Lowest	45
Average	52
Minimum on grass	42
Rain, .14 inch; bright sunshine, 1 hr. 54 min.; general state of weather, cloudy.	

MONDAY

Highest	68
Lowest	46
Average	54
Minimum on grass	42
Rain, .13 inch; bright sunshine, 7 hrs. 49 min.; general state of weather, fair.	

Organ Recital—Well known vocal artists, including the Misses Mary Purday, Jessie Carter and Moore and Messrs. Ernest Petch and Young will be heard at an organ recital to be held at St. John's Church at 8 p.m. today. The organist, Mr. G. Jennings Burnett, will officiate, and the offering for the evening will go towards the Music Fund.

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With the excitement and busy round of Summer vacations past and gone, and the equally strenuous days of Winter just ahead, Thanksgiving Day aptly comes as a kind of half-way resting place. In that mood yesterday was celebrated by the greater percentage of Victorians. Almost everybody made it a day of quietness and rest. Any celebrations that savored of energetic arrangements or fatiguing pursuits seemed to be taboo. Instead, there were quiet family strolls in the parks and along the scenic highways of the city's suburbs, where were to be seen father, mother and the kiddies, with the evening's prospect of a good time at home all together. The weather was ideal for the occasion. Although Sunday was a day of almost incessant rain and the prospects for the holiday were not pleasing, by nine o'clock yesterday morning the sun broke through the early mists, dispelling the few clouds, and continued to shine brilliantly throughout the rest of the day.

Several churches held special thanksgiving services, and many people spent the morning offering up their thanksgiving to the Creator of All things for the bounteous harvest of fruits and vegetables, grains and the many necessities of life that have been grown in this productive country. Not a few had special reasons for thankfulness. It was the first peace thanksgiving day for six years, and many families in Victoria had gathered around the table last night boys who for the past few years have been constantly in danger of death. It was a night of happy re-unions in this respect.

The city hotels catered for their guests by putting on special dinners, and turkey was carved into so many slices last night that nothing has been left for the League of Nations. The orchestra at the Empress Hotel had a programme of special music for the occasion.

Towards evening, when the turkey had been disposed of, large crowds wended their way to the various picture houses and theatres, almost all of which had exerted themselves to provide special attractions. From seven o'clock the entrances to the theatres were lined with patrons in an endeavor to obtain early seats.

In the morning a lacrosse game was played between New Westminster and the Foundations, which was the mecca of the lovers of sport. The sporting fraternity was further entertained by a Five A-side Association Football tournament between teams of the senior league, won by the Victoria Wests. The Boy Scouts had a very successful field day at Gonzales Heights.

The boys of Craigdarroch Hospital after a delightful chicken dinner held a whist drive which was attended by many visitors from Victoria, and some of the naval men from Esquimalt. The inmates of Esquimalt Military Hospital were also well provided with a turkey dinner.

HON. S. F. TOLMIE WILL ADDRESS WARD MEETING

Minister of Agriculture to Speak Tonight to Ward Three—Mr. Barnard Holds Meeting Tomorrow

Hon. Dr. Tolmie's supporters in Ward Three will hold a meeting at the central committee rooms, the former store premises of Messrs. Dixi H. Ross & Company, Government Street, tonight at eight o'clock. Hon. Dr. Tolmie will be the chief speaker and will be assisted by Mr. Frank Andrews and Mr. W. G. Gaunce. A large attendance of Ward Three voters is expected.

Tomorrow night Mr. Thomas A. Barnard, of New Westminster, candidate of the Federated Labor Party in the present federal by-election campaign, will hold a public meeting at his committee rooms at the Crystal Theatre. Mr. Barnard will be assisted by Major R. J. Burde, M.C., member for the provincial riding of Alberni. In announcing his meetings for this week Mr. Barnard, at his last Saturday meeting, described Major Burde as "our old Bolshevik friend Dick Burde."

The Federated Labor Party's candidate plans to conduct an aggressive campaign by circulars and other printed matter, which will be widely distributed. At Saturday night's meeting his campaign manager, Mr. W. E. Ellis, made a strong appeal for funds wherewith to carry out this campaign.

OBITUARY NOTICES

ACKERMAN—The death took place on the 12th inst., at Salt Spring Island of Joseph Ackerman, aged 82 years, an old and respected resident, having resided at Salt Spring Island for the past 54 years. He is survived by four sons and one daughter, of Salt Spring Island, and one daughter, Mrs. Wallace of Vancouver. Arrangements were made yesterday by the Thomson Funeral Home, the funeral taking place yesterday at his residence at Salt Spring Island.

PRICE—The remains of the late Edmund Adolphus Price were laid to rest yesterday afternoon at Ross Bay Cemetery. Services were conducted at the Thomson Funeral Home by Mr. J. Robertson. There was a large gathering of sympathizing friends in attendance, and the following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. F. Hellyer, E. Rand, F. Tracey, R. L. Carter, R. Robertson and A. Braidwood.

Protection in Mexico

Changes in the Mexican tariff, authorized by the decree of August 30, involve a considerable increase in protection. Duties have been increased in a number of cases to protect developing industries and rates have been lowered in the case of certain products not manufactured in Mexico. As an example of the increase, the import duty on automobile tires has been advanced from a former rate of .75 peso per kilo to 1 peso in view of the fact that there are now two factories in Mexico producing automobile tires with a stated capacity of 100 per day.

A Simple Way to Reduce Wrinkles

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To remedy this condition, there's nothing so effective, so quick-acting, as a simple wash lotion easily made at home. Just get an ounce of pure powdered saxolite at your druggist's, and a half-pint of witch hazel, mix the two and bathe your face in the liquid. This at once tightens the skin and solidifies the underlying tissues—which, of course, smooths out the lines and draws in the sagging skin. It also stimulates capillary circulation, bringing natural color to faded cheeks.

Y.M.C.A. AIDS PATIENTS BY MANY KINDNESSES

Work of Institution Subject of Hearty Commendation by Soldiers—Reading Matter Supplied to Many.

One of the most important features of the work being done for the returned soldiers by the Y.M.C.A. is providing for the men in the hospitals and sanitoria of the country. The association is carrying on the work at every hospital and sanitorium in Canada according to the needs of the patients. Numerous secretaries are giving their time either in whole or in part to this hospital work, which is greatly appreciated. Not only does it mean a lot of work but a vast quantity of supplies of various kinds are used. A sample request from one comparatively small sanatorium filled a few days ago at the Vancouver headquarters of the Y.M.C.A. will give some idea of the quantities used throughout the country. This shipment included 10,000 sheets of writing paper, 3,000 envelopes, 500 post cards, two boxes of pens, three dozen penholders, six dozen lead pencils, six sets of chess and six boards, six sets of dominoes, three dozen packs playing cards, 1,000 gramophone needles, two dozen ping pong balls, 500 steel puzzles, two sets rubber quoits, two sets ring toss, 200 song sheets, 100 hymn sheets, 150 library books, two dozen billiard chalk and one dozen golf balls, in addition to a quantity of music for an orchestra which was provided by the Red Cross Society.

That the service rendered and supplies sent by the Y.M.C.A. are appreciated is evidenced by such expressions of thanks and appreciation as the Y.M.C.A. headquarters received a few days ago from the assistant director "J" Unit of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, who in a letter said: "When at Tranquille the other day I was deeply gratified to find that your interest in the patients at that institution is so well maintained, and in behalf of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment I desire to "tender you my sincere thanks for the great and direct interest you have taken in the welfare of the patients at that institution. Several of the patients expressed to me the great appreciation they feel for all you are doing to make their lives brighter and happier. As I am sure you realize, the tubercular patients have a hard row to hoe, and any interest which is shown them is very much appreciated."

Not only do those soldiers who are ill look to the Y.M.C.A. for relief from their monotonous life, but those who are settling on the land look to the same source. Only a few days ago the Y headquarters received a request that they should send a stock of books, magazines, games, etc., to the Soldiers' Settlements at Courtenay, Creston, Kelowna and Fernie.

These are but examples of this branch of activity of the Y.M.C.A., all of which occurred within a few days at one office of the association.

MARQUIS OF ANGLESEY VISITING VICTORIA

The Marquis of Anglesey is at present visiting the city. The title was created in 1815 and the present Marquis is the sixth to hold the title. He is also Earl of Uxbridge. The family name is Paget, and the first Baron Paget was a distinguished politician in the reigns of Henry VIII., Edward VI. and Mary. The first Marquis of Anglesey was a field-marshal and commanded the cavalry at Waterloo.

The present Marquis succeeded his cousin in the title in 1915, and is a lieutenant in the Royal Horse Guards. He is accompanied on his visit here by Lady Rodney and Mr. and Mrs. R. Chetwynd. The party is staying at the Empress Hotel.

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GIFT TO CANADA THROUGH SIR ARTHUR

Commune of Vimy Proffers Fifteen Acres of Battlefield Made Famous by Canadians to Erect Monument.

The French Ministry of War recently in a letter to General Sir Arthur Currie proffered the gift of nearly fifteen acres dominating the Vimy-Lens plain for the erection of a monument to the memory of the Canadians. Canada has accepted the gift with enthusiasm, and the memorial will probably be, as at Ypres, a Canadian Hall of Records dedicated to the dead and for the benefit of Canadian pilgrims to the battlefield. The following is the letter from the French Ministry of War conveying the gift, which is directly made by the Commune of Vimy:

"I have the honor to inform you that the Commune of Vimy, wishing to show its esteem for the Canadian army, which has won immortal fame in the battles fought on its territory, as well as its gratitude for the offer made by the France-Canada Committee, especially the Ontario Province, to adopt Vimy and the neighboring communes, is keenly desirous that a lasting memorial of its glorious liberators should be provided.

"Owing to its present state of destitution, the commune is unfortunately not in a position to put up, as it would like to, a monument worthy of the occasion, but it has decided that at least it will make a free gift to the Canadian Army of a piece of its ground, watered by the blood of heroes, in the hope that the army will be willing to itself erect this monument to its dead.

"If the Canadian General Staff adopts this suggestion, the commune offers it the choice between two pieces of land, each of about five or six hectares (12 to 15 acres). Both dominate the Vimy-Lens plain. One is quite close to the road from Arras to Bethune, while the other is a little farther away, but would be easy to connect it with the road by an avenue.

"If the Canadian General Staff agrees and accepts the proposition to erect this memorial it should come to an understanding with the Mayor of Vimy regarding the choice of ground and the work can be put in hand immediately."

ONTARIO OFFICER DEFENDS SIR ARTHUR

General W. B. Lindsay, Who Served on Canadian Staff Throughout War, Corrects Misstatements.

The fact that General Sir Arthur Currie's native town is Strathroy, Ontario, has brought more publicity and fame to Middlesex County than could possibly have been brought about through the activities of any "development" league. But General Currie is not the only Canadian soldier of outstanding ability who hails from that part of Canada. General W. B. Lindsay, "the only responsible staff officer who served on the staff of the Canadian Army Corps throughout the whole of the fighting," belongs to the same place, and his history is of particular interest to Victoria at the present time because, as a special staff reporter states in an Eastern daily of a few days ago, "he now comes vigorously to the defence of General Currie in the matter of what he terms 'the criticisms and misstatements which have been made regarding the second battle of Mons.'"

The article proceeds to expound General Lindsay's explanation as follows:

General Lindsay claims an intimate knowledge of the situation at the time under discussion and regrets that criticism has been made at all, and particularly that it has appeared to centre about the corps commander, when others had almost equal responsibility.

With the Engineers

General Lindsay was chief engineer of the Canadian corps under Lieut.-General Sir Edward Alderson, General Baron Byng, and lastly under General Sir Arthur Currie. He is full of enthusiasm for the men in the service which he commanded, and to The Free Press today he stated that the Canadian engineers fulfilled their task with a spirit which was not equalled by any other branch of the service.

"It was always a matter of regret," said General Lindsay, "that in our work the boys could not get back at the enemy. If they were strafed they simply had to bear it, and bear it they did like the heroes they were. They were men of wonderful pluck. If a party of fifty were sent out to build a railroad under fire, forty of them might be knocked out, but the other ten would go on building the railroad."

Never Held Parade

The tribute of Major-General Lindsay to the efficiency of his corps engineers is seconded by that of a returned Strathroy man who was in that branch of the service, and who gives an ample share of the credit to the General himself.

"He was a good scout," this soldier asserts. "There wasn't a better liked commander among the Canadians, and he could get the work done when others would have failed. They tell me he never had a parade over there, and, as far as that was concerned, that suited me fine."

General Lindsay has the original proclamation that was handed to Gen. Sir Arthur Currie by the Burgomaster of Mons—a proclamation of thanksgiving for the salvation of the city, bearing the official seal. This document states that the City of Mons was captured by the 3rd Canadian Division on the morning of November 11, at 3 o'clock.

Not Signed Then

"It is a matter of history," Gen. Lindsay pointed out to The Free Press, "that the armistice was not signed until 5 o'clock that morning.

"The orders regarding the cessation of hostilities would have to pass after the armistice had been signed, from the rendezvous where Marshal Foch met the Germans to the headquarters of the Allied forces; then to the different general headquarters of the various allied armies. Orders would have to be redrafted at B. E. F. headquarters and sent out to the several armies and by them redrafted and sent out to headquarters of the army corps.

"As far as I remember, they were received about 7 a.m. at the Canadian corps. They were at once redrafted and transmitted to divisional headquarters. Then they went to brigade and then to battalion headquarters, being drafted to suit the situation in every case. Battalions had to send out the order to individual companies and each company to its platoons, which were actually advancing and fighting as they advanced. A state of moving warfare existed and communication facilities were reduced to a minimum by the nature of the fighting. Consequently it must take considerable time before orders could reach men in the fighting line.

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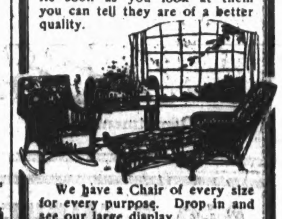
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Taming My Husband

By Kathleen Fox

XXIX.—An Unexpected Pleasure

I wonder now, as I wondered then, if I was a tantalizing wife. Crittenden said I was when I told him I had prayed that he might control himself. I never had considered that praying for a loved one was tantalizing. And I had prayed for him, more times than he could know, for him and for myself, prayed that we might have the happiness that was possible with a curb on his temper.

I confess, unashamed, that I, too, had a temper. Rather I say, proudly, that I had spirit, courage, though a woman, to defend myself, even against my Mr. Hyde of a husband when he chose to assume that unlovely role. If I had not possessed a temper which was a result of the spirit and courage that were mine naturally, "Taming My Husband" never would have been written.

Happily enough, Crittenden was himself by the time daddy got home for dinner. But I made no overtures, unless meeting him half-way could be so characterized. And I always was willing to do that.

I think that if Crittenden had known what awaited him in his den that very minute he would not have chosen to offer me such an affront as to charge me with falsehood and of confiding my domestic troubles to outsiders. Assuredly daddy was not an outsider, but I had made up my mind that, no matter what happened, I would not let him know Crittenden and I had been anything else but happy.

Dinner was over.

"Let's smoke in the den," Crittenden suggested to daddy. "You come, too, Bess," he invited. We had sat a long time at the dinner table, listening to further glowing descriptions of daddy's trip to California. It was quite dark.

Crittenden led the way upstairs. Daddy was next. I purposely had fallen behind them. And I had closed the door of the den that afternoon just a few minutes before Crittenden arrived from his office and started his unreasonable quarrel with me. I thought of the surprise he soon would walk into and wondered whether he would regret what he had said to me in anger. I knew that what was coming would be bound to affect him.

Crittenden turned on the light in the den and opened the door, the wall switch being in the sun parlor.

"Hello," he exclaimed. "Well, I declare! Bess!" he cried, "that's some of your work, of course!"

Then he stepped aside for daddy to enter, took me in his arms and hugged me fiercely.

"How did you do it?" he whispered.

"I'll tell you later," I said in a low voice.

Daddy's presence made it impossible for me to explain without exposing the episode of the destroyed painting. For there on the wall, duplicated in every detail, even to the heavy frame, and with the artist's name in the corner, hung the picture of the hunting scene that had so attracted Crittenden's fancy. (But, rest assured, I had reserved the right to hang the painting directly opposite the entrance from the sun parlor, exactly where I had said the picture should go and where it would show to advantage.)

Said Crittenden when daddy left us to retire: "How in the world did you do it, Bess? I couldn't see a single break in the canvas. Who repaired it for you? It's a wonderful piece of work."

"It wasn't repaired, Crittenden," I smiled.

"You don't mean you bought another!"

"Yes, I did."

"How on earth did you manage it?" he gasped.

"I saved a dollar a week," I explained.

"Bess!"

"It doesn't take long," I assured him. "But I was scared to death all the time for fear you'd object to me cutting down your rations."

"I never noticed it," he declared. Then: "How long, Bess, have you been doing that—saving up for that picture?"

He leaned forward in his chair, a quick interest in his eyes and an amazed unbelief on his face.

"Oh, not so very long, Crittenden," I avowed.

"Well, how long?" he insisted. Then he sat on the arm of my chair and put his arm around me, drew my head over on his shoulder.

"I began, Crittenden, the next day after—after the accident to the other one."

He did not reply, but he patted my cheek and I felt his lips on my hair. But—Crittenden did NOT say he was sorry that he had destroyed the first picture.

Tomorrow—Crittenden's Tardiness.

WORK IN RUSSIA BY FRIEND'S SOCIETY

Miss Annie Fox Tells Local Audience About Her Experiences in Samara District Early in War.

One of the members of the Society of Friends who went down to the Samara District of Russia to engage in relief work among the poor refugees driven back from the Eastern front in the early years of the late war Miss Annie Prideau Fox, of Gloucester, England, who has been visiting with her brother, Mr. Robert Fox, of Ines Drive, the Gorge, had a very interesting story to tell at the Friends' meeting which she addressed in Victoria a few days ago.

Miss Fox brought a picture of the sad conditions which prevailed in the Samara District. During the early days of the war the Russian Government mobilized all doctors and surgeons for military use, thus leaving the civilian populace without medical assistance of any kind available. Consequently the Government was very glad when the Friends proffered their services as relief agents, and willingly handed over the whole of the territory mentioned—which is about the size of Vancouver Island—to them.

Help From England

Nurses and doctors were brought over from England and set to work to administer the much-needed medical relief, while supplies of food and clothing were also imported and distributed among the poor. Unfortunately, Miss Fox stated, fatalism is one of the outstanding characteristics of the ignorant Russian peasantry, and while accepting what was done for them they made little effort to help themselves.

Although not actually engaged with the Friends in their work in France Miss Fox was able to give a faithful account of the work which the Society did there in rehabilitating the people driven from their homes as the Germans advanced. She also described the work of the Order in London, where she was associated with the Society. In this big English capital there were eight thousand German waiters when the war began, many of them with English wives bearing, of course, German names. The condition of these half-German families was distressing. The Government, too engaged with the war to undertake the care of such families left it to private philanthropists, among whom the Friends were perhaps as active as any. Private homes had to be sought out where the wives could be sent to live, while their German husbands were interned or called back to Germany.

Social Welfare

Another interesting work made necessary by the war was the social welfare of girls engaged in munitions factories. This was a big field for really ardent helpers keen to do some practical good.

Speaking about the source of the Society of Friends' finances for these various "war" projects Miss Fox referred to the munificence of Fry's, Cadbury's, Rowntree's, Huntley & Palmer's, Carr's, and Jacob & Co.'s, all wealthy chocolate and biscuit firms whose whole output was "mobilized" by the Government for army use. The firms would not take any profit for supplies furnished to the soldiers, and put the whole of their excess incomes into various "war" philanthropies, among them chiefly those engaged in by the Society of Friends, to which the heads of all these firms belong. Thousands of pounds were contributed through these channels and distributed in useful manner.

Miss Fox has been giving talks all across Canada, Toronto, Calgary and Vancouver having had lectures. She is leaving now for Pasadena.

WEDDINGS

Moody-Boyd

The wedding took place in the St. Mary Magdeline Church, Pictou, Ontario, at noon, October 7, 1919, of Miss Ethel Josephine, daughter of Mrs. Moody, and the late Doctor Jas. Moody, Windsor, N. S., to James Dunbar Boyd, Clinton, B. C. Rev. F. A. Barber officiating. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Boyd left for British Columbia by way of Chicago.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Henry Moffatt, of Rossland, B.C., with Mrs. Vere Eardley-Wilmot, from Shawnigan Lake, are the guests of Mrs. F. S. C. Fraser, of Pemberton Road.

Colonel and Mrs. Wood and the Misses Wood, who have been spending a few days in Victoria, have left for Ottawa.

Miss Mary Marlatt, Eighth Avenue, Vancouver, spent the week-end in Victoria.

Among the guests at a reception given in honor of Lady Rhondda at the Hotel Vancouver on Friday last were Gen. Sir Arthur and Lady Currie and Brigadier-General and Mrs. Clarke.

Mineral Claims for Sale

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—Crown-granted mineral claims on Texada Island, thirty-six in number, are being advertised by Mr. A. Forrester, the assessor and collector for the district, to be put up for sale on November 3rd. The total liability is less than five hundred dollars. The advertisement calls upon any soldier holding any of these claims to apply for his benefits of the Taxation Amendment Act.

Harbor Improvements

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—The Board of Trade will discuss harbor improvements and pilotage changes at their monthly meeting tomorrow evening.

QUICK! YOUR HAIR NEEDS "DANDERINE"

Check Ugly Dandruff! Stop Hair Coming Out and Double Its Beauty



A little "Danderine" cools, cleanses and makes the feverish, itchy scalp soft and pliable; then this stimulating tonic penetrates to the famished hair roots, revitalizing and invigorating every hair in the head, thus stopping the hair falling out, or getting thin, dry or fading.

After a few applications of "Danderine" you seldom find a fallen hair or a particle of dandruff, besides every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and thickness.

A few cents buys a bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter.

COUNCIL OF WOMEN HAD BUSY SESSION

Mrs. J. D. Gordon Talks on Her Work Among Families of Soldier-Farmers — Objectionable Literature.

Mrs. J. D. Gordon, of the Dominion Land Settlement Board for returned soldiers, gave a brief talk on her work among the families of soldiers now settled on farms, at the meeting of the Local Council of Women yesterday afternoon. Her sphere of usefulness had widened considerably, but she had found that the most useful part of her work had been visiting the women in isolated parts of the country. She had been pleased to help and advise in many situations, varying to include cookery instructions, sewing hints, care of dairy utensils and the problems that naturally confront the inexperienced farmer's wife. She was glad to state that the English women, and the majority of the soldier-farmers' wives were from the Old Country, had learned to love Canada and were proud to call themselves Canadians. Since her recent appointment, Mrs. Gordon has visited the families of one hundred soldiers, and she is enthusiastic in her work of helping the women to become accustomed to their new and strange environment.

Most of the meeting was occupied by the consideration of resolutions, referring to the excessive cost of foodstuffs, sent by the National Council of Women for endorsement. However, on account of the small attendance—due no doubt to the holiday—and the diversity and extent of the questions involved, it was thought best to defer registering the vote of the meeting until sufficient information on the subjects was available. The president, Miss Crease, and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Gavin Burns, were asked to investigate, and if possible, to arrange for a public mass meeting, at which representatives of the business world and industrial circles would be asked to speak on the questions concerning the high cost of living. The decision emanated from the request of the Order of the Maccabees and the Daughters of St. George to take the matter in hand.

Object to Billboard Pictures

Referring to the advertising appearing on billboards, Miss Wark, police officer, suggested that the Council of Women protest to the City Council against the objectionable pictures used to advertise plays and theatre attractions, mentioning especially the poster advertising for "Oh, Baby," a musical comedy appearing here last week. Under objectionable literature, Miss Wark mentioned the circulation of such semi-monthly periodicals as "Breezy Stories," "Snappy Stories" and "Spicy Stories," which she considered a menace to the morals of young people, who literally devoured it. The meeting decided that a delegation from the Women's Council should interview the morals committee of the City Council in an effort to deal with the immoral influence of the objectionable billboards and the magazines referred to.

Miss Crease and Mrs. Hasell were appointed delegates to attend the exhibit of the Child Welfare Association at Vancouver during the last week of the month, an invitation having been sent to the Council. It is hoped to have the Rev. Hugh Dobson bring the exhibit to Victoria at an early date, this suggestion being one of several valuable proposals dealt with in the report of the health committee, which was submitted by Mrs. Schofield in the absence of the convener, Mrs. MacLachlan. It was hoped that all organizations interested would assist in financing the expenditure involved.

Miss Crease reported for the Girls' Club, at 1242 Fort Street, and stated the needs of the house, mentioning as some of the furnishings required, a piano or monthly cash contribution towards its purchase; mirrors, chests of drawers, carpet strips, books and small tables. Anyone desiring to contribute furnishings was asked to send them direct to the matron at the above mentioned address.

ISLANDS HOSPITAL QUARTERLY REPORT

GANGES, Oct. 13.—The following is the quarterly report of the Gulf Islands Hospital, Ganges, sent in by the matron, Miss M. M. Lovering, who thanks all those who have so kindly sent presents of flowers, vegetables, etc., within the last three months. All donations, however small, will be gratefully received at any time by the matron and staff, and also any interest taken in hospital work:

	July	Aug.	Sept.
No. of old cases	3	5	6
No. of new cases	10	13	7
Total cases nursed during the month	13	18	13
Medical cases	1	2	3
Surgical cases	5	2	3
Gynecological cases	1	1	0
Obstetrical cases	2	4	0
Infants from obstetrical cases	1	3	1
No. of operations	4	2	1
No. of deaths	0	0	0
No. of hospital days	129	179	162
No. of beds	6	6	6
No. of outdoor patients	1	0	0
No. of visits outdoor patients	1	0	0
No. nurses N.O.N.	1	1	1
No. nurses in training	2	2	2
No. domestic help	1	1	1
Av. daily hours duty	10	10	10
Av. Sunday hours duty	6	8	6

Amount paid by patients: July, $54.60; August, $73.15; September, $61.60.

Donations

July—Mr. Seymour, berries; Mrs. McKerracher, cherries; Miss Royal, dressing gown; Mrs. Ringwood, cakes; Mrs. Wilkes, peas, flowers; Miss Pender, cherries, strawberries, bananas; Mrs. Mouat, Sr., jar fruit and cherries; Mrs. Cearley, cherries; Mrs. James, black currants; Mrs. Dean, cream and loganberries; Mr. Lang, berries.

August—Mrs. Mouat, Sr., ice cream; Ganges Chapter I.O.D.E., one surgical night gown and one night gown; Mrs. Johnston, enamel jug; Mrs. Wilkes, carrots, turnips, peas, vegetable marrow, quantity mixed vegetables, berries; Mr. Dodds, plums, eggs, cream, beans, chickens, peas, berries; Mrs. Cearley, eggs and chickens; Mrs. Smith, raspberries; Mrs. McKerracher, vegetables; Mrs. Dukes, lettuce and rhubarb; Miss Royal, two cakes; Mrs. Beech, Sr., apples, eggs, Mrs. Akerman, cauliflowers and corn; Mrs. James, butter beans; Mrs. Evans, chickens, beans, marrows, cauliflowers and peas; Mr. Lucimore, fish; Mr. P. Beech, trout and berries; Mr. Bullock, peaches; Mrs. McNeil and Mrs. Wilson, pears.

September—Mr. Lowther, two boxes apples, pears, eggs; Mrs. Dukes, plums, lettuce, peas, liver and kidney; Mrs. P. Beech, berries; Mrs. Evans, cauliflowers, marrows, grouse; Mrs. Smith, cauliflowers, cabbage, corn and pears; Mrs. Walter, cake; Mr. Borradaile, fish and leg of venison; Mrs. Dodds, berries, cream; Mrs. Beech, Sr., apples and berries; Miss Sharpe, fruit; Mrs. Cearley, pears; Mrs. Harvey, plums, pears, child's cot and furnishings; Mrs. Dean, eggs; Mrs. Dewhurst, carrots; Dr. Sutherland, fish; Mr. Duke, lettuce; Mr. Springford, box of prunes; Ganges Chapter I.O.D.E., $5 for babies' ward.

Individuality in Raincoats



In this offering you will find a Raincoat that will give real satisfaction. A garment that will keep out all weathers, and at the same time have the dressy appearance of an ordinary coat. They are made from a splendid quality of rubberized tweed, and come in mixtures and plaids. We purchased them early, and can save you from $5.00 to $10.00 on the purchase price.

A Nice Selection From $11.50 Up

Mallek's

721 Yates Street Telephone 1901

Your Money's Worth in Footwear



Money is good only for what it will buy. It loses its value if not spent wisely, but it assumes value as the wisdom with which it is expended increases.

Our Men's Shoes appeal to men who want their money's worth. The best of leathers, excellently made on lasts that fit. Priced from $16.00 to $6.50

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640 Yates Street Phone 2164 J. Rylands, Prop.

Thanksgiving Day Special for Saturday

LARGE MILK-FED CHICKENS, 5 to 6 lb.; YOUNG GEESE, 10 to 12 lb.; YOUNG FOWL, 3 to 5 lb.
BACON BACON BACON

CONCERNING BACON

Sir Roger Bacon's paid the price of pig-like indiscretion,
And realized, alas! too late, how fatal his transgression,
In making public all he knew about that "RACE FOR LIFE,"
And telling how JOS RYLANDS slew old "Brigham's" plump young wife.

'Twas very little RYLANDS said, and yet he thought a lot,
And thought until his wrinkled brow seemed tied into a knot.
Then suddenly he smiled, and said, "'Twill benefit the town!
Sir Roger's death will help to bring the price of bacon down."

We've told before how Jos believes in "Living and Let Live,"
And how the best return for cash his customers he'll give—
In proof of which, he says that now "his pigs he'll sacrifice"
To give Victorians bacon at the very lowest price.

So, housewives, now before you buy, just think of RYLANDS' PRICES,
Yes, bacon fifty-five the pound, and that, too, cut in slices.
And if you buy it by the piece—to suit those who are thrifty,
Jos says he'll knock off five cents more, and let it go at fifty.

They said Sir Roger's price (or pride) was sure to have a fall,
But rating him at fifty cents seems hardly fair at all.
To one with such a pedigree it does seem "infra dig,"
But RYLANDS says, "Oh, never mind, he always was a pig."

Ayrshire Cured Bacon—Piece, 45c; sliced	50¢
Home Cured Back Bacon—Piece, 55c; sliced	60¢
New Laid Eggs	95¢
B.C. Fresh Eggs	75¢
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Eminent specialists state that the best nerve food is an organic phosphate known among druggists as Bitro-Phosphate, a five-grain tablet of which should be taken with each meal. Being a genuine nerve builder and not a stimulant or habit-forming drug, Bitro-Phosphate can be safely taken by the [illegible]

the results following its use are often simply astonishing.

Weak, tired people regain strength and vigor; thinness and angularity give way to plumpness and curves; sleep returns to the sleepless; confidence and cheerfulness replace debility and gloom; dull eyes become bright, and pale, sunken cheeks regain the pink glow of health. Bitro-Phosphate, the use of which is inexpensive, also wonderfully promotes the assimilation of food, so much so that many people report marked gains of weight in a few weeks.

CAUTION:—Although Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.



Fums Up!

When Romans fought
With sword and knife,
The sign, thumbs up,
Meant: Spare his life.

A Historical Sign of Luck

Here is the great little luck-bringer that 'most everybody in the Old Country is wearing today. See them at this store on Tuesday or Wednesday.

Solid Silver ...$1.00 Silver Gilt ...$1.50 Solid Gold ...$5.00

W. H. Wilkerson, *the Jeweler*

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Bolshevist Finances

As a result of the persistent issue of paper money by the Bolshevist Government and the progressive depreciation of the currency, the Russian rouble, which before the war was worth fifty-one cents, has today little if any international value. The present value of the rouble in Bolshevist Russia is indicated by the fact that in Petrograd at the end of July the prices of the chief foodstuffs were: Horse meat (very rare), 100 roubles per lb.; bread, 150 to 180 roubles per lb.; butter, 270 to 300 roubles per lb.; sugar (rare), 250 roubles per lb.; potatoes, 45 roubles per lb.; milk, 30 roubles per bottle; eggs, 20 roubles each. The third half-yearly budget of the Bolshevist Government shows a total revenue of 20,349,627,888 roubles and a total expenditure of 50,702,627,888 roubles, leaving a deficit of 30,353,000,000 roubles. The Commissary of Finance states that the deficit will be met by issuing further paper money. Since the revolution the State expenditures have been approximately doubled every half year.

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DISASTROUS END OF PLEASANT TRIP

Ladysmith Amateurs Visit at Courtney and Some of Party Are Involved in Very Serious Automobile Smash.

LADYSMITH, Oct. 13.—The members of the Ladysmith Dramatic Society journeyed to Courtenay on Thursday evening last, when they presented their play "The Arrival of Kitty," to a packed house. The play was very well received and the members of the dramatic society are to be congratulated upon their fine performance.

After the performance, while waiting for the train, a number of the members went for a spin in an automobile, which ride had very disastrous results. The party had not been long out when a Ford approached them at a rate estimated to be not less than 40 miles an hour. Apparently losing his head for the moment, the driver of the Courtenay car drove to the right of the road and the two cars collided with the result that the Ford was considerably damaged and the other car turned two complete somersaults, as a result of which it was completely smashed. The occupants were more or less seriously injured, especially the driver of the car, who was taken to the Comox General Hospital, where he was found to be suffering from severe wounds on the face and also internal injuries, the exact nature of which had not been found at a late hour last night. The local occupants of the car, including Miss E. Shaw, Miss Beattie, Messrs. J. Little and J. Lapsansky, escaped with minor injuries, all being able to proceed to their homes after a visit to the local doctor.

FATHER AND SON

Unique Luncheon Will Be Held at Ladysmith on Saturday

LADYSMITH, Oct. 13.—A "Father and Son Luncheon" will be held in the Ladysmith Athletic Hall on Saturday evening, October 18th, at 6:30 o'clock. This luncheon is being held under the auspices of the various religious denominations of the city, and is an effort to promulgate a better understanding between father and son, and at the same time serious talks will be given on social hygiene. An illustrated lecture will be given by Dr. Ernest Hall, of Victoria, on "Social Hygiene," and brief addresses by Rev. Father Captain A. Wood and Rev. Dr. J. E. Unsworth, of Nanaimo. Musical selections will be given by Little's orchestra. The main idea of the whole affair is to create a better atmosphere in the home and in the city along social and hygienic lines.

FOOTBALL AT NANAIMO

Butchers Enter Team in Merchants League—Name Officers for Coming Season

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—Football is coming into its own again in Nanaimo. The butchers have organized the Nanaimo Butchers' Football Club. The following are the officers: Hon. presidents, Andrew Smith, F. A. Busby and J. Quennell; president, William Burnip; vice-president, H. Thorneycroft; secretary-treasurer, P. Donohue; executive, M. Wardell, H. Thorneycroft, L. Smith, W. Fraser, D. Mottishaw and E. Tunstall. This club participates in the recently organized Merchants' League. The team will play the field on Monday afternoon at the Cricket Grounds, with the following: Goal, W. Burnip; backs, Marsden and J. Hindmarsh; halves, H. Thorneycroft, D. Aitken and M. Wardell; forwards, R. Dickinson, Geo. Bowers, M. Wardell, G. Wardell and H. Capstaff. Reserves, E. Dideredge, W. Fraser and E. Tunstall.

PLAN CONSOLIDATION OF DISTRICT SCHOOLS

Trustees and Ratepayers of Cedar District, Nanaimo Section, Discuss Plan to Improve Facilities

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—The project of the consolidation of the schools of Cedar district is proceeding favorably. Following the general meeting of ratepayers of the district, which was addressed by Col. Winsby, inspector of schools for Nanaimo district, a second meeting took place last Wednesday at the Parish Hall, Cedar, when Col. Winsby presented the matter to a gathering composed of trustees and ratepayers of Waterloo and North Oyster, who had not been at the first meeting. There was a spirited discussion of the question. The plan was favorably considered with the result that the various school boards interested are calling meetings of their own ratepayers, the North Cedar meeting being advertised for October 21. These district meetings will be followed by a general meeting on October 31 of all the districts favorable to the plan.

It is proposed to erect a five-roomed modern school house somewhere on the Island Highway at a point to be determined. There is special need of immediate action, as new buildings are now required at North Cedar and South Cedar, the accommodation at North Cedar being especially unsatisfactory. The school attendance in the five school districts embraced in the scheme is about 160. The teachers are Miss Jaynes, at South Cedar; Miss Case, at East Cedar; Miss McKinnell, at Cassidy's in Waterloo district; Miss Carmichael, at North Oyster, and Misses Stewart and Foster at North Cedar.

Regarding the increased taxes, Col. Winsby held that it would not amount to more than one dollar per head for each ratepayer. A very decided advantage of the consolidated school would be that high school work up to the end of the second year might be carried on, so that the students could complete half their high school course at home instead of being compelled to board, as at present, in Nanaimo. The example of Duncan was quoted in favor of the advantage of the co-operative plan. The general feeling among the ratepayers endorses the idea, and it is expected that the new school will be in operation by next fall.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—Mr. Thomas Mills, well known in musical circles in the city, left yesterday for Port Ellis, at the north of the Island, where he has accepted a position as electrician of the Whalen Pulp and Paper Company. Mrs. Mills and family remain in town.

Mrs. Wm. Brown, of Nicol Street, is spending the week-end in Victoria and at Saanich with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hepburn, formerly of Nanaimo.

Miss Lena Stewart, of the Provincial Agent's office, spent a month's holiday at Sacramento, returning to her duties last Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. D. Jones, of Vancouver, formerly of Nanaimo, is visiting relations in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Watson, Rosehill Avenue, returned last evening from visiting friends in Vancouver.

Ald. J. M. McGuckie and Ald. T. Matthews returned yesterday from attending the convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, held at North Vancouver.

Rev. B. H. Balderston speaks at a rally and public service at Chase River Sunday School tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. (Dr.) Dairs left yesterday morning on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. D. Rocheforte, in Victoria.

Mrs. E. Williams and Miss Etta Sampson, of Dover, New Jersey, arrived in the city last evening on a visit to their uncle, Mr. John Sampson, Prideaux Street.

The Nanaimo Tennis Club gave a largely attended and very successful ball and supper last night in the Foresters' Hall.

Chief of Provincial Police Stephenson and Mrs. Stephenson, have left on a trip to Seattle.

The first whist drive of the season was held by the Oddfellows last evening in their hall, with a good attendance. The prizewinners were: First prize, Fort No. 15, Mrs. Kelsey, Mrs. Jardine, Mrs. McCourt and T. W. Wood; second prize, Fort No. 4, Mrs. Derbyshire, Mrs. T. Aitken, Mrs. Humphries and Mrs. A. Hunter; third prize, Mrs. McCourt, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Lister.

Ladysmith Tax Sale

LADYSMITH, Oct. 13.—The tax sale recently held at the City Hall increased the city's finances to the extent of about $2,000, which sum included the results of the money realized on the property sold last Tuesday and delinquent taxes which were paid to City Clerk Morrison during the morning. The sale was adjourned to next Tuesday, when the remainder of the property will be auctioned.

Athletic Association

LADYSMITH, Oct. 13.—A benefit dance held under the auspices of the Ladysmith Athletic Association took place last evening in the Athletic Hall. The dance was a benefit to R. D. Granger, who took sick following the swimming gala held in the city last August, and who has been confined to the local hospital ever since, having suffered a severe attack of double pneumonia. The dance was well patronized and a considerable sum realised as a result.

Victory Loan Drive

LADYSMITH, Oct. 13.—The arrangements for the local Victory Loan drive to be started in the city on the 17th inst., are in the hands of Mr. I. E. Lowe and a meeting was held last night to make definite arrangements for the campaign. Ladysmith has always been to the fore in the various Victory Loans, and it is hoped that this year will be no exception to the rule.

Musical Ladysmith

LADYSMITH, Oct. 13.—Studios have been opened in Ladysmith recently by J. Leslie Reynolds, of Nanaimo, teacher of pianoforte and singing, and D. Robertson, teacher of the violin. Mr. Robertson is a certified pupil of Holroyd Paull, pupil of Sevick, of Prague, and comes to Ladysmith with an enviable reputation. Mr. Robertson will open his studio on Thursday, 16th inst.

Seek Postal Aids

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—The residents of Five Acres, which is not included in the newly-initiated postal delivery, are seeking the extension of the delivery to their district.

Nanaimo Tax Sale

The sale of city property for arrears of taxes will be resumed, after a week's intermission, next Tuesday.

Mine Employee Hurt

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—An employee in the Reserve Mine, Mazenoff by name, a Russian, as the result of being caught this morning between a post and a moving car, sustained rib fracture. He is under treatment at the hospital.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

GANGES, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Wilfred Sharpe, of Ganges, left on Monday for Seattle, where she intends to visit her sister.

Capt. H. S. Halley is visiting Ganges for a week or two, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith.

Miss G. Lang, of North Salt Spring, left on Monday for Victoria, where she intends staying for some months.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Page and daughter left last week for England, where they intend making an extended visit.

Mr. Harold Price, of Salt Spring, left on Saturday for Kamloops, where he intends making a short visit.

Mr. Ian Halley left Ganges on Saturday to enter the North West Mounted Police in Vancouver.

Mrs. Wayne, of St. John, New Brunswick, accompanied by Miss Dayne, is spending the winter on Salt Spring, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Monat.

The engagement is announced between Capt. A. C. Alan-Williams, of Ganges, in the army of occupation, Palestine, and Miss Violet Grimley, at present in England. Capt. Alan Williams expects to return home to Ganges in the Fall of next year.

Mrs. T. Charlesworth, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Price, on Salt Spring since her return from overseas, has now left for Victoria, from where she is driving a stage to William Head.

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For Three Years. Hard and Awfully Sore. Disfigured. Cuticura Heals.

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"I started to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment when I was healed." (Signed) Clifford Yeomans, East Chezzetcook, N. S.

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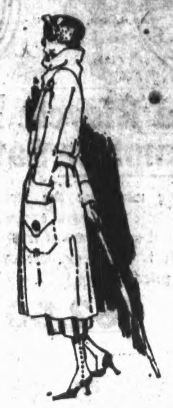
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SPORTING NEWS

Wests Are Victorious in Five-a-Side Soccer

Final Lacrosse Game Is Won by Champions

LACROSSE CHAMPIONS WIN FINAL CONTEST

Foundations Defeat Westminsters After Exciting Play—Close Scoring Marks Game—Visitors in Lead Twice.

The closest and most exciting lacrosse ever dished up at the Royal Athletic Park featured yesterday's game between the Foundation world's champions and the New Westminsters, which closed the lacrosse year. Persistent tie score stunts featured the contest and the thousand fans were kept right on edge until the last whistle blew, with the champions winning by 7 to 6, but unable to do more than tie the four-game series goal total.

Things looked rosy for the locals at the start, the pill coming to Painter right from the face-off and being well placed before Stoddart got his eye working. A minute later a line of Foundations came rolling down on the visitor's goal in a pretty formation, and as McGregor got the second tally, of the game the bleachers sat back and gloated on the easy job ahead.

The New Westminsters bustled themselves to good purpose after these misadventures, and for nearly ten minutes there was some fast up and down work, with Stoddart suddenly tightened up. A determined sally by Storme nearly beat Davis, better success attending an attempt by Follis a few seconds later, this being followed by the first tie goal, Oddy getting the credit. The Foundations got going well again after this, Painter netted a fast pass from Mitchell after five minutes of mid-field work, and McGregor got a splendid shot through a few seconds before the quarter ended.

The scoring knack rested with New Westminsters through the second quarter, although much of the play was around Stoddart's end of the field. The red-shirts' goalie was playing in brilliant form and kept the champions baffled, while Feeney got credit for a tally on a pass from Storme and Sclater once more tied the score up when he took a pass from Feeney and ran right in on Davis before making the try.

The last fifteen minutes of the second quarter were featured by fine but scoreless lacrosse, the Westminsters were making strenuous efforts to get a lead in the game, the assault squad of the Foundations not displaying the machine-like combination which usually marks their style.

Red Shirts Go Ahead

The third quarter started with a rush by the Foundations, but, when the champions' attack was foiled, Storme got a fine opening for a run down and shot, and, although Davis was able to fend the shot, he was beaten a minute later by Feeney, the many Westminster fans being greatly cheered as the mainlanders got the lead.

It took less than three minutes for the champions to pull level again, McGregor making a fast run through and a long pass to Feedham, who caught in brilliant style and beat Stoddart at the goal corner.

Again the last fifteen minutes of the quarter went scoreless to a tie, the green shirts doing most of the pressing and having hard luck, as a smart shot by Feedham bounced off the goal iron and Mitchell netted the pill but was beaten by the time whistle.

The final struggle was featured by the most sustained fast play ever seen. The Foundations made several tries to overcome Stoddart, but he was at the top of his form, and, although bunched plays were common around his dug-out, nothing came of them. Suddenly the hard, close game, opened up, a raid by the Westminsters met with a warm reception from the champions' defence, but Sclater got through, heaved in a long straight shot which Davis prepared to receive, and then Oddy interfered and deflected the pill at the right moment, getting the credit for the red-shirts' last tally.

It was Painter's fine work which put the game away for the champions. Taking the ball well down the field he passed to Feedham, ran in close, took the return pass and made a masterly shot for the equalizer, the bleachers shouting with excitement, and breaking into more uproar as he repeated the stunt five minutes later with the assistance of Baker. In the course of the last few minutes the Westminsters made desperate efforts to again tie things up, but the dangerous moments were met by sallies into the field by goalie Davis, who played a sterling game only matched by the work of Stoddart.

Bakers Plays Fine Game

With Frank Sweeney in hospital with influenza, the Foundations called on Joe Bakers to check the redoubtable Guns, who did so much of the scoring in the mainland games, and he filled the position so well that Guns never got a chance. In like manner Storme was but rarely able to get into fast action, and, although the mainlanders tried the same tactics with Painter and McGregor, both were able to free themselves when the time arrived for a getaway.

Summary

First quarter: 1, Foundations, Painter, 36 secs; 2, Foundations, McGregor, 1 min. 30 secs; 3, New Westminster, Follis, 9 mins; 4, New Westminster, Oddy, 16 secs; 5, Foundations, Painter from Mitchell, 5 mins. 30 secs; 6, Foundations, McGregor, 2 mins.

Second quarter: 7, New Westminster, Feeney from Storme, 4 mins; 8, New Westminster, Sclater from Feeney, 2 mins.

Third quarter: 9, New Westminster, Feeney, 3 mins. 30 secs; 10, Foundations, Feedham from McGregor, 2 mins. 30 secs.

Fourth quarter—11, New Westminster, Oddy from Sclater, 7 mins; 12, Foundations, Painter from Feedham, 3 mins; 13, Foundations, Painter from Baker, 4 mins.

Penalties: First quarter, none; second quarter, Conison, New Westminster, 5 minutes; third quarter, none; fourth quarter, none.

The Line-up

Foundations		Westminster
Davis	goal	Stoddart
Clegg	point	Chambers
Dalers	coverpoint	Brown
McKay	1st defence	Rennie
Kroeger	2nd defence	Coulson
Johnson	3rd defence	Conison
McDougall	centre	Feeney
Painter	3rd home	Oddy
Baker	2nd home	Storme
Mitchell	1st home	Sinclair
Feedham	outside home	Gunn
McGregor	inside home	Follis

Referee—C. E. Burnett. Timekeepers—Taylor and Menzies.

Game Conditions

To the Sporting Editor, Colonist:

Sir:—I have just returned from my annual outing and there are a few observations regarding game conditions I would like to get off my chest.

One of the things which struck me most forcibly was the extreme laziness developing among our young men, who no doubt call themselves sportsmen. While camping along the roadside I saw carload after carload of young men on the opening days of the grouse and deer season going past patrolling the roads back and forth with guns at the ready to pot at any game appearing along the highway. These people did not go off the highways, just motored up and down. One case I saw the windshield was down and the artillery was sticking over the front of the car like a makeshift tank. A fine class of sportsmen we are sure producing.

At the meeting of those interested in game protection held in Vancouver this year I advised that the ruffed grouse be given another close season, as there had been a considerable improvement in their condition due to last year's close season, and another year would give us quite a stock. I also recommended that shooting along the highways be made illegal. In some of our municipalities this is a municipal law, but if we wish to preserve the ruffed grouse we must make shooting on the highways an offence. Here is where the ruffed grouse gather and dust themselves, and in the mornings and evenings they are always to be found if they are in the neighborhood. One man going continually over any certain district will completely wipe out the ruffed grouse in two or three years. I know of one lineman who told me he got 137 grouse off his beat, going over it nearly every day with his gun. That was an average of more than eight grouse to the mile of his beat. No country can stand that and depend on the natural increase to re-stock. I know from my own experience that the district this man patrols has since then had very few birds in it.

The blue grouse to some extent automatically close themselves off, as they go to the tree top or the mountain sides, but the ruffed grouse is with us all the year around, and must have our protection. They do not mature as early as do the blue. In fact, I saw some young bobtails only four days ago. Their habit of freeing while young and coming to the roads to dust will spell their doom unless some action is taken for their protection.

Then there is the spotlight used on so many cars. They are useful in many ways, but the use of them is abused, and night lighters use them along the highways. They are illegal, so why are hundreds allowed to carry them on their cars? When I ask why I am told "that they use them in Victoria, so what is the use of trying to check them up here." From my camp I saw cars come along with only a spotlight on. When they turned a corner where there was a house, all the lights were switched on.

Another thing; I did not hear one favorable comment of our game administration, but I heard a great deal of unfavorable comment. If we are going to have our game preserved for the younger generation growing up, we must have our game looked after by a special department interested wholly in game, by people who know game and its habits, by people who know the woods, by people whose heart and soul is on the job. Not liking game because it gives them something to kill, but because of their love of the great open spaces, the woods, the streams, the fields, the mountains and the old primitive love of the chase, the inheritance of red-blooded men, playing the game by giving a decent handicap against our modern weapons. Such men should be in charge of our game department.

The large part of the game licence fee should go direct to this department, all fines, less legal expenses, the same, so that it should be completely sustained by the people interested.

I doubt if the head of our game department, as it is now, could tell the difference between a Canada Ruffed, an Oregon Ruffed, or a young Blue Grouse, and I doubt if the present game inspector could find his way out of 160 acres of a thicket if left to himself. I would suggest that if we wish to have the game of Vancouver Island properly conserved a meeting be called of the sportsmen of Vancouver Island to meet, say at Duncan or Nanaimo or some central and suitable place to form a fish and game protection association. I would suggest it be called "The Vancouver Island Fish and Game Conservation Association."

This meeting should be called at as early a date as possible so that we may be well organized before the recommendations go in for the season of 1920. Local branches should be established at various centers whose officers should be officers of the Island Association. Under conditions such as these a meeting of delegates could be held to discuss game conditions and we would be in a position to dictate our game requirements.

I would be pleased to get suggestions from the sportsmen on the Island.

GEO. B. BROWN.

Box 322, Nanaimo, B. C., Oct. 9, 1919.

Johnny Dundee Wins

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 13.—Johnny Dundee, of New York, was awarded a referee's decision tonight in a 15-round bout over Young Kloby, of this city. The men are lightweights.

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FIVE-A-SIDE SOCCER WON BY THE WESTS

Tournament Played Yesterday Provided Over Three Hours' Good Sport—Interest Well Sustained Throughout.

The five-a-side association football tournament played yesterday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park, was probably an even greater success than its promoters expected. Not only was there a fine crowd, fine weather and fine music by the Foundation Band, but there was also a fine display of fast football, and the interest was kept up right to the end after some three and a half hours' play.

The Wests finally proved victorious after a hard struggle in the final round with the K. of C. team which resulted in a score of two goals to none.

Want of experience in playing under the five-a-side conditions made a great difference to the showing of some of the players, but this handicap applied equally to all teams, and, in consequence, the play throughout was very even, none of the games being won by anything like an overwhelming advantage. From the nature of the game play was fast throughout, which helped to keep the interest very much alive, and the crowd in the grandstands and bleachers evidently thoroughly appreciated the good afternoon's sport provided.

Good Management

The tournament was very well managed, and there was no delay in getting the teams out, one game following the other in quick succession. Three capable referees officiated in the persons of Messrs. Jones, Payne and Duggan, and, considering the fact that the rules must have been new to the majority at any rate of the players, everything went along harmoniously. In the final game there was a little argument as to a disallowed goal for the K. of C., Goal Umpire Mesher being somewhat hampered in the discharge of his duties by the crowd, which surged round the posts when the Wests were having their final tussle with the Catholics.

Eight teams took part in the tournament. Nine were in the draw, but the Army and Navy Veterans defaulted. Ten minutes each way was played in each game, ends being changed at half-time without an interval, four points being scored for each goal and one for each corner, the corners, however, not to count except in case the score from goals was equal, which, as a matter of fact, did not happen in any game.

The First Round

In the first round Foundation beat Yarrows, the score being 3 goals and 2 corners to 2 goals and 2 corners.

The K. of C. Hut won from the Army and Navy Veterans by default.

The Wests beat the Comrades B team by 2 goals and 2 corners to 1 corner.

The Comrades A team beat the Cricketers by 4 goals and 1 corner to 1 goal.

The Harbor Marines had a bye.

In the play-off of the bye the K. of C. Hut beat the Harbor Marine by 4 goals and 4 corners to 1 goal, Kroeger scoring the lone goal for the Harbor Marine with one of the finest shots of the tournament.

In the second round the Wests beat the Comrades A team by 3 goals to 2 goals, after a very fine struggle, the Wests piling up their lead early in the game and having all they could do to prevent the Comrades equalising before the end of the game. There was little to choose between the two teams on the play and the result might have been different but for the missing of a very easy opportunity by one of the Comrades, who had an absolutely open goal with no one at all to beat, but made a mess of the shot.

A Hard Game

The next game in this round was between the K. of C. Hut and the Foundation, and the former just managed to win again after another hard game by 1 goal and 1 corner to nothing.

Ten minutes interval was allowed as a breather before the K. of C. Hut men were again called on to take the field, this time against the Wests in the final round.

The Wests owed their final victory in a large measure to the fine work of "Pat" Mulachy. This young player was in great condition and seemed to be able to stand the pace and the strain of the quickly following games better than some of his team mates. He was certainly one of the stars of the tournament, showing lots of pace and good control of the ball in passing and shooting.

The Wests started off on the aggressive and they showed superiority in their forward play. Breadner, the goal keeper for the Knights of Columbus, played a corking good game and was a host in himself, but the Wests managed to obtain a lead of one goal and a corner to nothing before half-time, Mulchy scoring the goal.

In the second half "Pat" did it again. He had been getting more than his fair share of work, and there were a few sarcastic shouts of "let Pat do it" from the sidelines, as the pace was telling on at least one of his team mates. "Pat," however, was equal to the occasion, and netted another for the Wests.

A shot soon after by the K. of C. appeared to hit one of the posts and bound out. The goalkeeper took the ball and handled it out of his territory. Some question was raised as to the justice of Goal Umpire Mesher's decision, but he was in the best position to see and was no doubt right, and the game ended with the K. of C. credited with one corner against the two goals and a corner of the Wests.

Winners Get Medals

At the conclusion of the tournament Mr. H. H. Brown presented gold medals to the members of the winning teams—Youson, Peden, Mulcahy, Jackson and Mackay. The team of runners-up was composed of Allen, Brass, McKinnon, Smith and Breadner.

Whatever the players thought about it, there was no doubt that five-a-side soccer appealed to the spectators and that they thoroughly enjoyed the sport.

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PROMINENT ATHLETES WILL GET WHITEWASH

Re-Instatement to Amateur Ranks Recommended to Provincial Branch of A.A.U. by Local Board.

The local board of the B.C.A.A.U. met last night in the J.B.A.A. clubhouse, the business of the evening being the consideration of applications for re-instatement as amateurs from the following well-known Victoria athletes: Al. Davies, Dal Thomas, Ed. Brynjolfson, Bous Johnson, Billy Hill, Scotty McKay and We H. Davies. There were present at the meeting the following delegates: President A. C. Hill, Secretary Harry Boyd (also representing the Victoria Rugby Football Union), Joe Dakers (North Wards), Bobs McInnes (Lacrosse), J. Briggs (Victoria and District Football Association), H. Bird (Yarrows), F. Hopkins (Foundation), Frank Giolma, M.P.P. (V.I.A.A.), Geo. I. Warren (Victoria Boxing Club), J. Dilworth (Victoria Baseball League) and Dan O'Sullivan (J.B.A.A.).

As a result of last night's meeting the local board will recommend to the provincial body that all the above mentioned athletes be re-instated as amateurs and the provincial body will act on this recommendation at a meeting to be held as soon as possible.

It is necessary for each athlete asking for re-instatement in amateur ranks to make a declaration to the following effect:

1. That he has taken no part in professional sport since leaving His Majesty's forces (if a service man).
2. That he has done all in his power to further the interest of amateur sports.
3. That he has no intention of taking part in professional sport for the balance of his life.

It was moved by Mr. Giolma and seconded by Mr. Dakers that in future, on it being conclusively proved that a man who has taken part in professional sport has since re-instatement as an amateur again taken part in professional sport, that his affidavit now held by the body be published in the press together with an official statement of the offense, and further, that all sportsmen applying for such re-instatement as amateurs be notified of the purport of this resolution.

BILLIARD STARS WILL MEET IN TOURNAMENT

Championship of America Wil Be at Stake for First Time in Contests Which Start at Cleveland Next Week.

Entries for the National American Three Cushion Championship Tournament announced recently by the Brunswick Balke Collender Co., under the direction of R. B. Benjamin, closed Saturday, Oct. 4. The list of players who will compete for the title is representative of the best cue talent in America and includes: Robert L. Cannefax, of New York; Charles Otis, of Brooklyn; Charles McCourt, of Cleveland; Clarence Jackson, of Detroit; Byron Gillete, of Buffalo; Hugh Heal, of Toledo; Tiff Denton, of Kansas City; Otto Reiselt, of Chicago; Pierre Maupome, of Milwaukee; Jess Lean, of Cincinnati.

The event will be held in Cleveland commencing November 6 and will be preceded by the balkline championship tournament to be held in New York commencing October 20.

As in the balkline tilt, in which William F. Hoppe, Koji Yamada, Ora Morningstar, Jake Schaefer, George Slosson, Welker Cochran and George B. Sutton are entered, many of the aspirants for the three cushion title have held championships, and all have shown such marked superiority at the angle game that it would be a hard matter to pick a winner.

Practically every entrant has been busy getting into the best of form for the tournament, and, with a few weeks to elapse before it commences, it is probable that some of the very best play that has been witnessed by lovers of the three cushion game will be produced. It will be of paramount importance as far as the billiard game is concerned, for the winner of the tourney will be champion of America and he will hold the title for the period of one year, after which it must be defended.

TWO JACKS BILLIARDS

In the Two Jacks' billiard tournament last night a very close game was seen between Hall (r50) and Anderson (r50), the former winning after a hard-fought struggle by 29 points. Hall is thus the first man to get into the money.

In the draw for the first round of the billiard league, teams captained by Hibberson and Frost were drawn to play each other in A division, and in B division those captained by Hindle and Robinson. These teams will play on Thursday evening at 7:30.

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International Contest Between Teams of Lady Golfers Will Be Resumed on Thursday at Seattle.

Mrs. Jack Rithet is captain of the Victoria team of lady players which will compete in the international golf tournament at Seattle on Thursday of this week for the Henry trophy. Mrs. A. G. Cummings is captain of the Vancouver team, included in which is Mrs. Sweeney, formerly Miss Violet Pooley, the foremost woman golfer who ever played on the Pacific Coast.

It was in the Winter of 1913-14 that H. C. Henry, former president of the Seattle Golf Club, conceived the idea of giving the lady golfers something worth while to play for. The previous months had seen Chick Evans and his crowd of Middle West companion stars play in Seattle, and it had seen Harry Vardon and Ted Ray on coast links, so that there was a perfect furore of golf excitement, for the men.

Mr. Henry purchased a magnificent silver pitcher and named the conditions for a women's competition. Four cities were to name teams of ten each, namely, Victoria, Vancouver, Tacoma and Seattle. He was embracing in his scheme the four cities that have produced the women finalists in practically every Pacific Northwest championship for the last twenty years.

Divided into international teams, Victoria and Vancouver were pitted against Tacoma and Seattle. Best out of five matches were to decide the winning team—American or Canadian. Once decided, the two teams forming the winning combination should play against one another for the possession of the trophy. The surviving team of ten would then play for the pitcher, the winner being eventually sole owner of the trophy.

War Interfered

Five matches were played, when the war put a stop to the competition, put a stop to the match that should decide the international winner. Two matches were played at Victoria, two at Seattle and one at Tacoma. One of the Seattle matches went to a tie. In none of the other four matches was there more than three points difference in any result. The scoring was done on the basis of one point for each 18-hole match.

Both teams had won two matches and there was this one tie. It was decided that the tie should be played off at the links where it had occurred—the Seattle Golf Club. That is the match, after four years of waiting, that is going to be played Thursday afternoon of this week.

BONE IS WINNER OF GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

On the Oak Bay links yesterday Mr. R. Bone, captain of the Vancouver Golf and Country Club, won the provincial golf championship and the Bostock Cup. Mr. A. V. Macan, of Victoria, was runner-up. The final between these two players was contested over 36 holes. At the end of the first 18 holes Bone was one up, and at the end of the match he was 6 up and 4 to play.



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Play was fast in the soccer league game on Saturday between the Comrades and the Foundation elevens. There was no wind to affect the play, and it was evident from the start that both teams meant business. The Comrades played two substitutes for regular players who were unable to turn out.

Foundation scored after fifteen minutes of play, and the Comrades failed to score from a penalty kick. Shortly after they also failed to equalize from a free kick in the Foundation goal area. The half ended one to nothing in favor of Foundation.

After the resumption of play Foundation scored again, and the half ended as fast as the game started, the final score being two to nothing.

McGILL BEAT OTTAWA

MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—McGill University defeated Ottawa City team of the Inter-Provincial Football League today, 10 to 1, in an exhibition game.

(Additional sport on page 13)

Deaths of Notable Persons

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The deaths are announced of Sir David Stewart, formerly Lord Provost of Aberdeen; Lieut.-Gen. Bowes Forester of the Royal Artillery; Col. H. A. Dow, of the Indian staff, and Lady Rosborough.

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POINTS TO DANGERS OF RACE SUICIDE

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Sir Rider Haggard, giving evidence before the National Birthrate Commission yesterday, dwelt on the dangers of artificially keeping down birth, as now was widespread in every Western nation, except, he said, perhaps Russia and Germany. He said he was of the opinion that unless a startling change happened the Western race within two centuries would be submerged by a great new influx from the East. He doubted the effectiveness of appealing to the conscience of the Empire to stop this race suicide, but thought the State might stamp out diseases tending to sterilize the race, and also subsidize motherhood, and, as a desperate last resort, the State could, directly or indirectly, bring up all children, even holding out a kind hand to those not born in wedlock.

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AT THE PLAYHOUSES

PANTAGES BILL GETS AWAY TO GOOD START

Capacity Houses Greeted New Programme of Attractive Music and Variety Numbers Yesterday.

"No seats left," cheerily advised the smiling wicket girl at the Pantages yesterday to all who applied for admission to any one of the three opening performances after the orchestra had begun the overture. Not one of the crowd inside was disappointed. This week's is one of Pantages' most satisfying shows.

Between the beginning and the ending the programme is a festival of music and song, interspersed here and there with comedy of the most penetrating character, and held together in a satisfying manner with interwoven threads of theme and setting and tasty costuming. The aforesaid extremities are acrobatic in character, and exhibitions of the highest type. The Leoras are superb aerialists, as the programme says, featuring Ruth Leora, who a little better than holds her own, so far as comparison with any other little lady in the line of stage work. She does a somersault toe to toe catch which sets her apart, distinctly. The whole act of this duo is good, and might easily warrant being called "sensationally thrilling." The Three Bartos close the show with a fast routine of by far the most smoothly presented acrobatics known to the patrons of Pantages in this city. They introduce several stunts original with themselves, and their closing feat is a masterpiece in the overcoming of gravity in a skilful exhibition of human strength and agility. They had the pleasure yesterday of holding the audiences glued to the seats until their performance was quite finished—quite out of the ordinary, don't you know.

Gertrude Long and Spencer Ward follow the Leoras in the arrangement of the bill, and are first to introduce the musical element. This comes by way of a couple of impersonations by Ward, who extemporizes enough of the character habiliment to make his songs especially appealing. He also sings "The Lost Chord" in fine baritone voice, and Miss Long contributes "My Little Grey Home in the West" to good effect. She plays delightful piano accompaniments to the song numbers. A special cloth drop enhances the act.

The laugh specialty of the bill is where it does the most good, in the middle. Stan and Mae Laurel approach the audience with the appearance of having a sketch in their package, but it turns out a roaring farce. The climax is reached when Stan attempts a Theda vamp specialty, in which he pleases to catalogue himself as "chicken."

The "Revue de Vogue" is a programme of popular songs embellished by instrumental support from the violin and piano. Not the smallest feature of the act is the number and variety of the costumes and special stage settings. Joe Forte introduces the lonesome male voice, and Victoria Webster plays the violin acceptably. "Isabel" is among those featured, presiding at the piano and organ. Miss Dixie White is a "raggy" sort of singer who suits the songs she sings, and an un-named toe dancer deserves cheerful mention. The turn concludes with a ragtime wedding.

With characteristic zest, the three White Kuhns sing their own songs to fine popularity and to the accompaniment of a unique combination of guitar, ukulele and base viol, the latter largely for comedy purposes. The trio is billed as a "Breeze from the West," and succeed in driving dull care away.

AMUSEMENTS TODAY

The Stage

Princess—R. N. Hincks and company present "The New Boy."

Pantages—Vaudeville.

The Screen

Dominion—Norma Talmadge in "The Way of a Woman."

Royal Victoria—Elsie Ferguson in "The Avalanche."

Variety—Mildred Harris Chaplin in "When a Girl Loves."

Columbia—Mabel Normand in "Mickey."

Romano—Fannie Ward in "The Profiteers."

ROYAL VICTORIA It is not often that society girls of New York consent to appear in a motion picture, but a score of the daughters of the idle rich will be seen in some of the scenes of Elsie Ferguson's new Artcraft picture, "The Avalanche," which will be displayed at the Royal Victoria for the last time today and tomorrow.

In the gambling scene, in addition to more than 100 persons employed to appear, a score or more of handsomely gowned and bejewled society girls of New York who had called at the studio, consented to mingle with the others during the "shooting" of the scene. Although the young women "worked" under the direction of George Fitzmaurice, not one of them bothered to accept the pink slip indicating the amount they were to receive for their efforts, and to which they were entitled the same as ordinary supernumeraries.

"The Avalanche" is a delightful photoplay and presents Miss Ferguson in three distinct roles. The theme treats of the hereditary taste for gambling which the heroine has inherited. The support is excellent.

VARIETY THEATRE The role of a minister's daughter who falls in love with an atheist, who really is the leader of a notorious band of outlaws, is portrayed by beautiful Mildred Harris—Mrs. Charlie Chaplin—in Lois Weber's latest six-reel Jewel Production, "When a Girl Loves," which opened the Variety yesterday, is shown again today. This is the first appearance of Mrs. Chaplin in a Western drama, and it gives her an opportunity for pleasing work in an atmosphere different from that of any of her previous features. Reviewers who have seen advanced showings of the picture are lavish in their praise of her acting, some going so far as to call it the best of her career.

The story deals with the reformation of the atheist through the girl's influence and brings to the screen one of the most appealing offerings of the year.

PRINCESS THEATRE "The New Boy," as was predicted, is proving to be one of the most popular and enjoyable attractions that Mr. R. N. Hincks and his talented associates have ever provided for the amusement of the public. A regular holiday audience which completely filled the above theatre last evening literally rocked the house with laughter over the inimitable antics and expressions of "The New Boy," so cleverly portrayed by Mr. J. A. McCallum. And in every manner are the other members of the company entitled to an equal measure of praise and appreciation for the excellent way in which they perform their respective parts. Mrs. F. Bielby, Miss Dorothy Stuart-Robertson, Miss M. Butler and Messrs. R. N. Hincks, S. G. Clark, W. D. M. Fairbairn, Alderman Andros and Drennan Hincks, together with Mr. McCallum referred to above, complete the personnel of one of the best casts that has ever been assembled for any production. Clever, snappy, full of humor and fun, it is indeed an attraction that none should miss seeing. The play will be continued tonight and every night during the present week.

DOMINION THEATRE Conway Tearle, popular leading man on both the stage and the screen, will be seen opposite Norma Talmadge in her latest Select Picture, "The Way of a Woman," adapted from Eugene Walter's popular play, "Nancy Lee," when it is shown again today at the Dominion.

Mr. Tearle has recently been seen with Clara Kimball Young in "The Reason Why," also a Select Picture, and with Marion Davies in "April Folly." He has supported such well-known players of the speaking stage as Sir Charles Wyndham, Ellen Terry, Ethel Barrymore, Grace George, Viola Allen and Billie Burke.

One of the outstanding features of "The Way of a Woman" is the wonderful cast in support of Miss Talmadge and Mr. Tearle. Gertrude Berkeley, known as "the greatest mother on the screen," plays her customary role of the sympathetic mother. Jobyna Howland, who is seen in one of the season's popular successes, "A Little Journey," by Rachel Crothers, has an important role in the cast. Others in the cast are Hassard Short, who has an important role in the Broadway success "East Is West;" Stuart Holmes, Mac McAvoy, Colonel Vernon and William Humphreys.

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COLUMBIA THEATRE In "Mickey," this week's feature at the Columbia, Mabel Normand is as lively as a cluster of hairsprings, supple as a rubber band, and as charming as the pretty girl she might rightfully be expected to be. "Shinnying up trees, romping over jagged rocks, rolling down a rugged hillside, running and leaping like a mountain goat from crag to crag, and taking high dives in "altogether" illusions that any Kellermann might turn her head to envy. Then commences the transition to Mabel Normand the sensational.

Mickey, the Normand character, becomes a Cinderella—with a "kick." She takes the "worst of it," like a swimmer breasts a billow and comes back at her antagonists with liberal interest. Preyed upon by covetous and distant relatives who believe at first that she is rich only to later conclude that she's poor, Mickey takes matters as they come, and wins the man she loves without much more than half trying.

ROMANO THEATRE "The Profiteers," the latest of Pathe's Extra Selected Star Photoplays, featuring that wonderful mistress of emotion, Fannie Ward, will be offered by Manager Clark as his feature attraction at the Romano again today.

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OVATION GIVEN TO VICTORIA SINGER

Mrs. Macdonald Fahey Heard by Enthusiastic Audience in Vancouver; Will Give Farewell Recital Here

Vancouver gave Mrs. Macdonald Fahey a great ovation on the occasion of her farewell recital there on Friday evening. Victoria will be no less enthusiastic when she sings here next Thursday night at the Royal Victoria Theatre. This, it should be noted, will be her last public appearance before she leaves for New York, where she will start a concert tour.

The following is her programme for next Thursday night:

"Angels Ever Bright and Fair" (Theodora) .... Handel
"With Verdure Clad" (Creation) .... Haydn

Modern Russian songs:
(a) "At the Ball" ... P. Chaikovsky
(b) "Lilacs" .... Rachmaninov

Modern French songs:
(a) Serenade .... Pierne
(b) "Si mes vers avaient des ailes" .... Reynaldo Hahn
(c) "Ouvre tes yeux bleu" .... Jules Massenet
(d) Aria from "L'Enfant Prodigue" .... Debussy

Ballads in English:
(a) "Should He Upbraid?" .... Sir Henry Bishop
(b) "Orpheus With His Lute" .... Sir Arthur Sullivan
(c) "The Sheep Herder" .... Frank La Forge
(d) "The Blackbird's Song" .... Cyril Scott

Two opera arias:
(a) "Relouma Vincitor" ..... Verdi (Aida)
(b) "Una Voce poco fa" .... Rossini (Il Barbiere di Seviglia)

European Wages

Despite the general increase in wages in Europe, payment to industrial workers is still much below the standards on this continent and the hours of work are considerably longer. The United States Trade Commissioner at Brussels, Belgium, has sent to the Department of Commerce at Washington a report on wages and hours of work containing details which the Commissioner says may be regarded as representative of general wage conditions in Belgium. It shows blacksmiths, machinists, etc., employed by the community in reconstruction work receiving from 19 to 24 cents per hour for an eight-hour day, while mechanics employed in textile factories are paid from 18 to 22 cents per hour. Chief machinists get $12.55, expert machinists $11.77, and assistant machinists paid 24 cents per hour, and laborers $11.19 per week of 54 hours. Skilled workmen in the rubber factories are 19 cents per hour for a 52-hour week. The 54-hour week is fairly general in the textile industries. In the linen industries children are receiving 7 cents per hour, while the scale for experienced male cotton spinners ranges from 23 to 28 cents per hour. In the clothing industries garment workers receive 19 cents per hour, with a 9-hour day. Carpenters are paid 23 cents per hour for a 54-hour week, while masons and plasterers receive 17 and 18 cents per hour, supplemented by a bonus of 4 cents per hour on account of the high cost of living. Painters get 16 to 17 cents per hour plus a 4-cent bonus.

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TODAY
Elsie Ferguson
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REVUE DE VOGUE
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THREE CLUBS ONLY FOR COAST HOCKEY

Frank Patrick Already Making Arrangements for Coming Season—Opening Game on New Year's Day.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 13.—New Year's Day will see the first hockey game of the season in the race for championship honors of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, according to an announcement by President Frank Patrick this week. The announcement was made following a wild story from Montreal to the effect that George Kennedy will bring his Canadians to the coast in December to complete the world's series, which was brought to a sudden halt last season in Seattle when several members of the eastern team were taken ill with the influenza. President Patrick states that no such series is contemplated, and that the coast schedule will be run through as usual with the world's classic at the end of the season.

Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle will be the contending teams this year. There has been some talk of a second team for Vancouver, Mr. Con Jones, well known sportsman of this city, having applied for a franchise. Conditions at the present time, however, do not warrant a second team in Vancouver, and it is expected that his application will be turned down at the annual meeting of the league.

Patrick Is Busy

While it is early as yet to talk hockey, President Patrick is quite busy at headquarters here, arranging matters for the coming season. The annual meeting of the league is scheduled to be held in Vancouver this month, when officers will be elected and other important business transacted. Frank Patrick will, as usual, head the Vancouver team, while Lester Patrick will manage the Victoria aggregation. Pete Muldoon will have charge of the Seattle team. Muldoon is at present in the East, having left here to attend the world's baseball series, but he will be back shortly to commence his annual job of signing up players for the season. It is expected that all three teams will be considerably strengthened this year, although no announcement is yet forthcoming as to the signing up of new material.

Lester Patrick, manager of the Victoria aggregation, was in town this week, and talked hockey with the boys for a while. Lester figures he will have one of the strongest, if not the strongest team in the circuit. The Aristocrats claim that it was the influenza that knocked them out of the championship race last season, and not Seattle or Vancouver. There is no doubt that the Cups will be considerably stronger than they were last year, for Lester figures that Dick Irvin, the sensational young forward who was with Portland before he went over to France, will join his squad this season, while he expects Eddie Oatman to play a much better game. Oatman was weakened by the influenza and did not get going at all last season.

Locals Will Be Strong

With Stan Marples, the two Loughlins, Genge, Johnson and himself, Lester figures he will have an aggregation that will take some beating.

Although nothing official has yet been announced, it is expected that Norman Fowler, otherwise known as "Heck," will be between the goal posts for Seattle this season. Fowler is back from Siberia, where he served with the Canadian forces, and he is rolling to get back into the game. So far as Vancouver is concerned, all of the old players will be on hand, it is expected. Lehman, Duncan, Cook, Stanley, Mackay, Taylor and Harris are all expected to be back in the game.

Search for Balloonists

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13. — Two eagle boats stationed on the Great Lakes have been ordered by the navy department to proceed to Tobermory, Ont., to search for Captain Harold Damann, army balloonist, and his aide, who have been missing several days. Their balloon was found in Lake Huron some days ago, after they had started in the recent endurance race from St. Louis.

Vancouver Drydock Question

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—No advice has yet been received from Ottawa regarding the awarding of the drydock subsidy. The sale of a portion of the property recently purchased by the Coughlan shipyards to Andrew Wallace is reported. As both the Wallace and Coughlan concerns are in the field for the drydock the sale has occasioned somewhat of a surprise in shipbuilding circles.

Carpenters' Wage Demands

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—Demands for increased wages made by union carpenters will be discussed at a conference to be held tomorrow, at which representatives of the master builders' and general contractors' association and the union will be present. The union has requested that the new wage schedule come into force on Wednesday.

All British Leave Murmansk

LONDON, Oct. 3.—It is officially announced that the last British troops left Murmansk on Sunday.

Choosing the Leaders

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WILL KEEP WATCH ON GERMAN DRUGS

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—E. S. Knowlton returned to the city from Winnipeg where he has been attending the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association's convention. He was appointed chairman of a committee which is to devise ways and means of distributing liquor otherwise than through pharmacies.

He states that the association has decided to take steps to prevent German drugs from flooding the Canadian market, and will also combat German propaganda that might be spread to further this end.

Gun-a-Noot in Hospital

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—Gun-a-Noot, the Indian who last week-end was acquitted of murder at the Assises intended to leave shortly after the trial for Victoria to spend a few days before going north tonight on the steamer Prince George. Guna-a Noot is in the general hospital suffering from pneumonia following a collapse of his health as a reaction from his recent experiences.

COLNCIL'S INACTION HALTS SOCCER LEAGUE

Head of Parks Committee Has Been Absent From City, So Nothing Is Done About Playground Allocation.

No action has been taken by the City Council respecting the request of the Victoria and Island Football Association of Victoria for a definite allocation of the playgrounds during the Winter months. Chairman H. R. Andros, of the parks committee, has been out of town for several weeks, and until his return nothing can be done, it was stated yesterday.

When the matter first came up in the City Council about three weeks ago it was referred to Ald. Andros' parks committee, and the alderman declared that he would hold a conference with representatives of the various organizations with a view to securing a settlement. He made it clear, however, that he would not commit himself in any way that would make it appear as though the allocation was decided upon by himself, and that he was solely responsible.

However, no conference has been held, and until Ald. Andros returns no conference is likely to be held. Concern has been expressed in sporting circles as a result of the council's inaction, and the request for a conference will probably be renewed shortly. Football schedules, it is said, have been considerably interfered with by present conditions. Due to the lack of grounds, it has so far been impossible to get the intermediate football league under way.

ENDEAVOR TO SOLVE INCOME TAX PROBLEM

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Two meetings already have been held between the royal commission on income tax and representatives of the Overseas Dominions with a view to discovering proposals acceptable to the Home and Dominion Governments under which payment of double income tax may be obviated.

The main difficulty is in finding a formula which will cover all examples of such double payment. It is stated that the Imperial treasury would sacrifice £23,000,000 yearly if the existing payments were cancelled.

PRINCE CONCLUDES HIS WESTERN TOUR

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13.—The Prince of Wales concludes his visit to the West tomorrow.

The Prince returned this evening from Lake Frances, and after dinner attended the ball given by Lady Nanton.

The Prince and suite had an enjoyable time at Lake Frances. They arrived so late Saturday that no shooting was done until today. The bag amounted to some 80 ducks and other fowl.

COBALT ARRANGES FOR PRINCE'S VISIT

COBALT, Ont., Oct. 13.—Arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the Prince of Wales when he visits Cobalt for two hours on Thursday of this week have been completed. The programme calls for an hour's reception at the station immediately after the arrival of the party, where Mayor McKinnon will read an address of welcome, after which visits will be paid to the Coniagas Mining Corporation and O'Brien's mines, with an automobile drive through the township. Special souvenirs of the camp will be presented to the Prince, who is to leave for the mines at 11 o'clock.

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Apportionment of Tonnage

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The Shipping Controller has informed the Canadian Trade Commission that the Government, which requisitions 50 per cent of the cargo space to Canada, expects to requisition less gradually every month henceforth, although some months must elapse before a reduction in freights and the tendency of increased exports to stabilize exchange can be expected.

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